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BOLSHEVIKI BANKRUPT, QUITS PETROGRAD

Torrential Storms in North Flood Town; Halt Trains, As Rivers Rise; Vessels Aground

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

OLYMPIA (Wash.) Jan. 23.—Latest reports from McKenna, a town of several hundred people in Southwest Pierce county, today were that the Nisqually River was pouring an overflow torrent through the town and the houses were surrounded by from four to six feet of water. The McKenna Lumber Company mill shut down and employees were marooned in groups in the club and other buildings. With 100 soldiers from Camp Lewis piling in sand bags and dynamite crews blasting out drift as it accumulated against the piers, the concrete bridge on the Pacific Highway near Nisqually Station withstanding the worst flood ever known in the Nisqually River.

Rail traffic has been blocked in all directions today. A special train of 400 discharged soldiers en route from Camp Lewis to California was held here most of the day in making an attempt to make a record run to Portland.

SEATTLE (Wash.) Jan. 23.—All rail lines of communication between Seattle and Tacoma today were severed by four and five feet of water submerging the tracks near Tacoma Junction, due to heavy downpour of rain and rising rivers of the last few days. All tracks between Seattle and the East are open, troubles elsewhere in the mountains having been slight.

The fire-wrecked British auxiliary power schooner Janet Carruthers, Capt. Carney, went aground in the breakers four miles south of Westport, at the entrance to Grays Harbor late Wednesday night and six of her crew of fifteen are missing. The men succeeded in the boats when the captain believed his ship was sinking, and the six sailors who left in the first boat disappeared in the darkness. Today their capsized lifeboat was found washed down the beach from the wreck and the men are supposed to have drowned.

Capt. Carney and eight men reached shore safely in the second boat.

Several hundred feet of water in the mouth of the Carruthers, according to Capt. Carney, and the vessel being subjected to a terrific pounding by high waves with a gale blowing at fifty miles an hour from the southeast. Telephone wires down to the nearest point by which news was received tonight.

The Janet Carruthers loaded 500,000 feet of lumber at Tacoma and cleared for Portland, Or., to complete her cargo for Japan. She sailed from Tacoma January 20, encountered a fierce storm which blew her into the coast. The vessel is a 2500 deadweight tons, owned by F. Griffin & Co.

PORTLAND (Or.) Jan. 23.—Rains approaching the torrential, accompanied by strong winds, continued over Western Oregon today. All streams were rising fast and lowlands in many sections were flooded. Railway communication to points on Puget Sound was completely suspended owing to slides near Centralia, Wash. Telegraphic and telephone communication in all directions was badly interrupted. A relief train left here today for Enright, at the summit of the Coast Range on the railroad to Tillamook, where a passenger train had been hemmed in since yesterday by slides.

TOKIO REBELS SHELLED.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Jan. 23.—A wireless dispatch received from Tokio reports from frontier towns are to the effect that three war vessels are bombarding Oporto, which is still in the hands of the monarchists.

The dispatch adds that rumors persist that former King Manuel is about to land in Portugal.

LISBON, Jan. 23.—Contradictory reports declare that the government is on the point of quelling the rising. The status of the monarchistic movement in Portugal were

A dispatch from Madrid says a telegram as stating the monarchistic movement has assumed more serious character. On the other hand, Lisbon advices declare that the government is on the point of quelling the rising.

The official journal of the Lisbon government has promulgated a decree inflicting heavy fines upon the districts of Oporto, Viseu and Braga, where the monarchists have been in control. These fines vary from $50,000 to $100,000 for every day the districts remain in a state of rebellion.

REDS SHOOT IN HAMBURG.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

COPENHAGEN, Jan. 23.—Dispatches from Hamburg report that fighting is continuing Tuesday night in the neighborhood of the Central Station, the Town Hall and other points, the Spartacans, who appear to have captured the

A more strict form of martial law has been proclaimed and all the theaters and restaurants have been ordered closed.

The Soldiers' Council has decreed that all arms must be surrendered within forty-eight hours. Persons found in possession of weapons at the expiration of that time will be liable to summary court-martial.

FEBRUARY BUTTERFLIES MONTANA MARVEL

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

LEWISTOWN (Mont.) Jan. 23.—This city was visited today by phenomena unique in the form of a severe sandstorm. The oldest residents in the vicinity cannot remember anything of its kind at this time of the year. This winter has been one of extreme mildness and not a particle of snow is on the ground. Butterflies and grasshoppers can be seen in the fields. Normally January and February are the coldest months of the year in this section.

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Karolyi Is Worried.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BUDAPEST, Wednesday, Jan. 22.—Count Karolyi, President of Hungary, declared today that maintenance of the territorial integrity of Hungary is essential to European peace.

"France and England," the Count said, "fought to prevent militarization of Mittel Europa. But if they continue to act as they have been doing since the armistice they are going toward the reconstitution of this Mittel Europa."

Count Karolyi declared it was a mistake to take territory from Hungary as it was before the war and give it to new states, "for we can perfectly well give these peoples, who it is sought to detach from us, autonomy which make them ethnical entities similar to the Swiss cantons."

He continued:

"By cutting Hungary the Allies will not only wipe out a people with a glorious past, who will not forget, but will break down the Hungarian economic system."

The Hungarian leader said he could have any foreign policy because he was not in contact with any of the powers, but would like to see the formation of a Danubian federation.

He Owes Money Here.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 23.—Nelson O. Nelson, former head of the Nelson Co-operative Stores of New Orleans, filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States District Court today. He placed his liabilities at $413,447.12 and his assets at $400,696.18. Among the larger amounts listed as due creditors are items of $400,000 to the N. O. Nelson Manufacturing Company of St. Louis and $25,000 to the First National Bank of Los Angeles, Cal.

Wilson's Aunt Dies.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

DENVER, Jan. 23.—Mrs. Helen Sill Woodrow, aunt of President Wilson, died late tonight at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Harriet Woodrow Welles of this city. She was 77 years old. Mrs. Woodrow was the wife of the brother of President Wilson's mother and sister of Gen. Joshua Sill, after whom Fort Sill, Okla., was named.

HUN TROOPS DENOUNCE RUSSIAN BOLSHEVISM.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

WARSAW, Saturday, Jan. 18.—The majority of German soldiers returning from Russia, although they quarrel among themselves, denounce Bolshevism. Many of them declare that as soon as they spend a few weeks at home they will be willing to return and fight the Bolsheviki on the eastern frontiers of Germany. They declare, however, that they are not willing to fight the invaders for the benefit of the Poles.

Governor Pardons Kidnaper.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 23. — Gov. Stephens granted a pardon today to Grover C. Rogerts, formerly employed in the oil fields near Coalinga, who was convicted October 3, 1908, in the Fresno county Superior Court of kidnaping. He was on parole.

"Mentioned" as Ambassador to France.

Vance C. McCormick,

Who recently resigned as chairman of the Democratic National Committee. Rumors circulating in Washington assert Mr. McCormick will replace Mr. Sharp as Ambassador in Paris. Mr. McCormick sailed recently in response to a request from President Wilson to join him in Paris. Ambassador Sharp has returned to Paris after a vacation in this country.

LABOR REVOLUTIONS LOOM

Demands of British Unions are Believed Signs of Industrial Dangers.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Jan. 23.—Serious strikes and threats of more serious ones in England over disputes which ordinarily would be considered unimportant have led some students of British labor conditions to the belief that the demands are made, not in an effort to better labor conditions, but in an attempt to revolutionize the whole condition of labor employment.

Today 147,000 Yorkshire coal miners struck because their employers decline to allow twenty minutes "dead time" for meals for surface workers. The employers wanted the men to eat in relays and thus keep the machinery going. Stoppage of work in the great shipbuilding industry on the Clyde is threatened over a meal-hour dispute.

The strike of the Yorkshire miners was settled late today by the Coal Controller, who agreed to concede the twenty minutes "dead time" for meals while the mines are under government control.

AMERICAN DANGERS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—Some of the dangers confronting the industrial world from unemployment were emphasized today by A. L. Filene, a Boston merchant, testifying before the Senate Labor Committee, which is considering labor legislation.

In urging co-operation of extensive national and State and city employment bureaus, Mr. Filene said he feared that unless business men had learned the lesson of the war, a great deal of, unrest would result. He suggested his plan in answer to a request by Senator Hollis of New Hampshire, as to "how America can avoid industrial disaster this spring."

Declaring that if business men waited for trouble they would force the formation of a labor party, Mr. Filene said:

"The masses are beginning to see they have a power they may use constructively, but if prevented from doing that, destructively. No longer can the 10 per cent. run the great 90 per cent."

NEW SOUTH WALES VIEW.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—The world's most effective weapon against the spread of Bolshevism is prompt and definite action guaranteeing to labor a standard day, a living wage, protection against unemployment and sane regulation of child employment, in the opinion of G. S. Beeby, Minister for Labor and Industry of New South Wales, who made public here tonight conclusions based upon an extended survey of industrial conditions in the United States and Australia.

Mr. Beeby said he was impressed by the absence of a cohesive policy regarding labor in the United States, to which he attributed in a degree, the country's periodic industrial unrest. America, he said, is still discussing the eight-hour day and kindred problems, long-since generally recognized by England and her more important colonies.

The Minister said there was opportunity for disorder and discontent in the promiscuous demobilization of American troops, without provision for their employment. In Australia, he stated, soldiers are kept on the army pay roll for three months while they look for jobs.

VILLA RAIDS MINING TOWN.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

JUAREZ (Mex.) Jan. 23.—Francisco Villa led a band of 150 followers into Santa Eulalia, 165 miles southeast of Chihuahua City, early yesterday, killed four soldiers of the small Federal garrison, hanged a civilian, detained the Americans connected with the American-owned mines in the Santa Eulalia and looted the stores and houses. The Americans, released by Villa before he rode out of the town, reached Chihuahua City safely.

Gen. Jesus Augustin Castro, commander of the northeastern zone, received the details here today of the occupation of the mining town where the American Smelting and Refining Company has its mines. The fate of thirty-one members of the garrison was not given in the military dispatches.

After leaving Santa Eulalia, Villa led his band in a detour toward Chihuahua City, burned a bridge at Mapula, sixes miles south of the capital, and disappeared in the direction of Bachimba Canyon.

MINE SINKS FRENCH SHIP.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, Jan. 23.—The French torpedo boat No. 325 has struck a mine and sunk off the coast of Tunis. Eighteen men of the crew are missing.

Torpedo boat No. 325 was launched in 1906. The vessel was 122 feet long and had a speed of twenty-eight knots an hour.

Reds Turn to Middle Class for Aid; Plan to Meet With New Slav Regime Is Opposed

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Jan. 23.—Nicolai Lenine, the Bolshevist Premier of Russia, and Leon Trotzky, Minister of War and Marine, speaking recently before the Moscow Soviet, confessed that the Bolshevist regime is bankrupt, especially regarding industrial production, finance and food, according to a Helsingfors dispatch to the Mail.

They said it was time that experts from the middle class were invited to co-operate with the Soviets. A similar invitation has been addressed, the speakers said, to intellectuals who have heretofore stood outside the civil war. In referring to the foreign policy of the country Trotzky is reported to have intimated that the Soviet government was prepared, under certain conditions, to abandon its internationalist aims and raise the banner of "Russia for the Russians."

KEEP ARMY IN RUSSIA?

Allies' Withdrawal May be Asked.

[BY ARTHUR SEARS HENNING.]

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—Whether American troops are to be withdrawn immediately from European Russia, if not Siberia, under the terms of President Wilson's compromise plan for pacifying Russia, was a subject of widespread speculation in official circles today.

The American contingent in Northern Russia has been engaged together with Allied forces in desperate battles with the Bolsheviki in the frozen forests.

Administration officials agreed that the settlement of the Russian plan issued by the Supreme War Council in Paris is not clear in regard to the disposition of Allied troops in Russia. It clearly sets forth that all factional Russian troops sent against Finland, Poland, the Ukraine, Esthonia and Lithuania and other parts of the old Russian empire shall be withdrawn, and that the factions shall make a truce as a condition to participation in the proposed conference at Prince's Island.

Whether the provision for withdrawal of armies also extends to the Allied troops operating against the Bolsheviki is uncertain. It is deemed probable that the Bolsheviki will demand the withdrawal of Allied forces as a condition to acceptance of the proposal of the Supreme War Council.

WITHDRAWAL BLOCKED.

As it would be a physical impossibility to transport the 25,000 Allied troops from the Murman coast before February 15, the date of the Prince's Island conference, any movement of withdrawal at this time could be only from advanced lines to the base. American and Japanese troops will remain in Siberia, where their presence is desired by the local de facto governments in connection with the Allied operation of the Siberian Railroad.

Russian officials here who are anti-Bolshevik expressed the opinion that all factions in Russia will accept the proposal for a conference and evinced surprise at the assertion of M. Sazonoff in Paris that the non-Bolshevik groups will decline.

"The plan is not what we desired and it is still to be seen if it will be successful," said one of these officials. "It has come at a most opportune moment for the Bolsheviki. They have just been defeated by the Esthonians; they have been driven out of Perm and further back by the armies operating under the authority of the Omsk government; they have been beaten by Gen. Denikine's volunteer army in the Don country; latest advices record heavy losses on the Archangel front and it is reported that Trotzky is preparing to evacuate Petrograd, in view of the Red army's most recent disasters.

RESPITE IS NEEDED.

"Therefore, the offer of the Allies and America comes at a moment when a respite is needed by the Bolsheviki and it is not unlikely that it will be accepted. It is remembered that at Brest-Litovsk they said they would treat with the devil if it gave them advantage in carrying out their programme for a

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COPENHAGEN, Jan. 23.—The Bolshevik forces are evacuating Petrograd and removing all stores, according to a dispatch to the Berlinske Tidende from Helsingfors. The dispatch adds that Leon Trotzky, the Bolshevik Minister of War, is transferring his headquarters to Nizni-Novgorod and that the anti-Bolshevik movement is growing daily.

BASLE (Switzerland) Jan. 24.—Leon Trotzky, the Bolshevik Minister of War and Marine, did not escape from Narva after the defeat of the Bolsheviki by the Esthonians, but was taken prisoner, according to dispatches received here from Libau. Advices from the same sources state that owing to the intervention of Finnish troops in Northern Esthonia and Livonia, the country has been completely cleared of Bolshevist forces.

LONDON, Jan. 23.—Leon Trotzky, the Russian Minister of War, has ordered Zinoveiff, the Bolshevik Governor of Petrograd, to surrender the city without a fight, if it is attacked by the Northern Russian forces, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Copenhagen.

In Northern Russia, the dispatch adds, the Bolshevik forces have been defeated and a large part of them have surrendered.

Great numbers of peasants are reported to be in revolt in various parts of Bolshevik Russia.

Esthonian officials claim that the defeat of the Bolshevists after the capture of Narva amounted to a complete rout, according to a Helsingfors dispatch to the Daily Mail. Esthonian advance guards now are within seventy-five miles of Petrograd, and continue to capture prisoners and munitions. The Esthonians intend to push as far east as the Dugs and Pliusa rivers, to encircle the city of Pskov.

Unconfirmed reports have been received that the Bolsheviki have captured Orenburg, capital of the province of that name. If the report proves true, the difficulty of the Russian-Siberian army getting into touch with Gen. Denikine's force is increased. The capture of Orenburg also would constitute a threat to the small British force in Trans-Caucasia.

ARCHANGEL, Wednesday, Jan. 22.—The Bolsheviki are continuing their shelling of the American positions at Ust Padenga, thirty miles south of Shenkursk. The American artillery is replying to the enemy fire.

The infantry attack which the Bolsheviki expected to make yesterday failed to materialize.

Peasants say that the Bolsheviki suffered 500 casualties in the infantry attack on January 19, leaving many wounded who froze to death in the forest. The American casualties in the fight were less than fifty all told.

PARIS, Jan. 23.—Sergius Sazonoff, the former Russian Foreign Minister under the old regime, and now representing the government of Yekaterinodar and the Siberian government at Omsk, has declared in a statement that he would not participate in the conference proposed by the Supreme Council with Bolshevik representatives.

Whether the effort of the great powers to tranquillize Russia was to succeed or fail was still in the balance tonight. No reply had come from the Bolsheviki and as the wireless message embodying the proposal of the associated powers was not sent until 2 o'clock this morning, some days may intervene before anything definite is known.

In the meantime prominent anti-Bolshevik leaders in Paris are not clear on their course and the first reports that they were favorable to the plan have been followed by a statement by such leaders as Sergius Sazonoff that they would not sit at the table with assassins.

HONORS "TRAITORS."

The semi-official Temps also asserts that Supreme Council's proposal "permits traitors who withdrew Russia from the war and turned the entire German strength against France to be received on the same footing as the faithful."

The American and British delegates feel, however, that the proposal was the only course open.

Information reaching the Allies indicates that the Bolsheviki have a powerful army in which discipline is being enforced. In view of this information, one of the premiers pointed out today that the Bolsheviki could only be combated by a large number of Allied troops, which would have to be on the spot immediately, whereas none of the governments could ask people already wearied by war to undertake another large military expedition.

The council of the great powers today definitely set forth four main subjects to be presented at the full conference on Saturday—first international labor legislation; second, responsibility and punishments for the war; third, indemnities; fourth, internationalization of ports, waterways and railways.

FOR COMMITTEE STUDY.

These subjects are not to be discussed in detail but will be immediately referred to committees for study and report. The American members of these committees were selected at an extended conference between President Wilson and the American delegates this afternoon.

The American plans on the first topic are already well advanced. While there is no definite information on the second point, relative to responsibility and punishments for the war, the sentiment in American quarters inclines to a negative attitude with some suggestions that those responsible who have fled from Germany should be returned for Germany to deal with.

The third subject, indemnities, will not be presented in the conference with the amounts claimed by each government, but a committee will be charged with the task of assembling these amounts and also of determining the probable maximum the enemy powers are able to pay.

ARMY HEADS CALLED.

The meeting tomorrow will have added importance in bringing together the Supreme War Council, with President Wilson, the Premiers and Foreign Ministers, reinforced by Marshal Foch, Field Marshal Haig, Gen. Pershing and Gen. Diaz and the full membership of the war council of Versailles.

The subject for consideration is not Russia, or Poland, as was supposed, but the status of the present military occupation of Germany.

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Responsibilities and Punishments for War Damage Considered by Supreme Peace Council

RUSSIANS URGED TO JOIN PARLEY.

Envoys Divided in Support of Proposed Conference.

Congress Action Shows Britain and America in Accord.

Official Discussion Begun on World League Plans.

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which the council desires information from the military leaders. In some Allied quarters it had been suggested that the American strength in the occupied regions should be relatively larger than that of the other forces as the European Allies have gone through longer service.

This view is not shared in American quarters, where it is maintained that the relative American strength is fully up to the requirements.

The presence of the military leaders tomorrow is expected to bring a fairly full understanding on this subject.

RULE AERIAL TRAFFIC.

The inter-Allied air commission will meet in Paris shortly to settle big problems connected with aerial traffic of the world. Technical experts of various powers are engaged on plans to be submitted to the commission. The British scheme, according to the Paris edition of the London Daily Mail, is ready.

One of the chief difficulties to be overcome is the drawing up of a set of rules for aerial passage applicable to all nations in view of complicated geographical conditions. Ordinary rules for flying, such as speed, height and navigating lights, are easily adjustable, but the political and commercial aspects are bound to involve controversial points.

Great Britain's plan for the actual working machinery to carry out the proposed internationalization of labor was outlined by George Nicoll Barnes, Minister without portfolio, whose proposals will be considered by the Peace Conference Saturday.

BRITISH PROGRAMME.

Briefly, his programme calls for the establishment of an international commission made up of the representatives of both labor and capital for the settlement of labor problems. The commission is to be responsible to the league of nations.

Under the Barnes scheme would be the appointment by the Peace Conference of a small commission composed of delegates from the great powers. This commission would convene the first labor conference, which, in turn, would become the central international commission for the betterment of labor.

Because of lack of machinery, the present Peace Conference would be unable to establish a perfected commission, although the Peace Conference may make certain suggestions and even bind the powers to them.

For example, such questions as the right of the people to form themselves into trade unions might be settled by the Peace Conference. The matter of the hours of labor and similar problems would come before the international labor commission. In case of nonfulfillment of labor agreements, the league of nations would be called in to settle the matter.

The international labor commission, or bureau, will not deal with purely internal problems of the nations. Capital and labor will still work out their local differences, as before.

Asked as to what power the commission would have back of it to enforce its rulings, Mr. Barnes replied in substance that if any nation refused to play the game she might be brought to reason by depriving her of trade privileges with sister states.

CONFER IN POLAND.

Conferences have been in progress during the last few days at Bromberg, German Poland, between German and Polish emissaries. According to a telegram received by the Polish National Committee in Paris, the Germans rejected all terms of agreement, containing fourteen points, proposed on behalf of the Poles by Albert Korfanty, a member of the Supreme Peoples' Council of German Poland, and formerly a Deputy in the German Reichstag.

President Wilson today received Georges Lecompte, president, and Abbe Wetterle and Gen. Mallet-ere, vice-presidents of the Society of Men and Letters. President Wilson seemed particularly pleased at the courtesy of the French writers in calling on him.

This afternoon there was a reception tendered by President Wilson at the Murat mansion to about 200 persons, diplomats, politicians, artists and writers—who were introduced to the President and Mrs. Wilson. Among those who attended the reception were Gustave Ador, president of the Swiss Federation, with whom President Wilson conferred for a few moments in his study; Premier Clemenceau, Foreign Minister Pichon, J. J. Jusserand, French Ambassador to the United States, and M. Dubost, president of the Senate. A large number of women also were present.

RELIEF FOR MONTENEGRO.

The Minister of Foreign Affairs of Montenegro has made public the following note:

"The King of Montenegro, learning of the tragic incidents now desolating his country, is anxious to stop the shedding of blood and has addressed a note to his people as follows:

"'To my beloved people: I beg you to remain quietly in your homes and not oppose by arms troops which seek possession of the government of our country.

"'I have received the highest assurances from high representatives of the Allied countries that very soon a true opportunity will be afforded the Montenegrin people to pronounce freely on the political form of their future government. For my part, tell them that I shall adhere to that decision with pleasure.'

"The message was approved by the Peace Conference yesterday, which authorized that it be sent to Montenegro."

SLAV ENVOYS CONFER.

The representatives of the various Russian governments now in Paris met today with Sergius Sazonoff, the former Russian Minister of Foreign Affairs, and now Foreign Minister of the Omsk government, to discuss the decision of the supreme council here to send a commission to Princes Island to meet representatives of the various Russian elements. The Russian representatives decided to urge their friends in Russia to support the movement for the proposed conference.

The solution to the Russian problem is considered here as the first visible manifestation and realization of American and British accord on great issues before the Peace Conference.

It is understood that, inasmuch as the supreme council has accepted the American plan for the settlement of the Russian question, the British plan may form the foundation for the league of nations. Yet it is pointed out this is a mere exchange of courtesy.

BRITISH PLAN SIMILAR.

The plan for settling the Russian question is virtually identical with that which Premier Lloyd George suggested in his note to Stephen Pichon, French Minister, last January 5. It is understood that the British plan for the creation of a league of nations is essentially identical with that which American experts formulated after close study of the two score which were presented.

There is some reason to believe that through unofficial but powerful sources assurances have been conveyed that the Bolsheviki will recede from their threat to repudiate Russia's foreign debt in consideration of relief, through Entente aid, of desperate economic conditions in Russia. It is believed that assurance on this point induced France to sanction the plan, which averts the specter of financial loss to French holders of Russian securities.

CONSIDER LEAGUE PLANS.

Having disposed of the Russian question for the moment, the supreme council of the Peace Conference turned today to the principal object of its work, the establishment of a league of nations. This question promises to command virtually the undivided attention of the delegates until their action regarding Russia shows results one way or another. As the Russian delegates are not expected at Princes Islands until February 15, this means that nearly the whole attention of the congress will be turned to the league of nations until President Wilson's departure for America.

Even if the Russian negotiations it is hoped that some unanimous agreement will be reached that will bring representatives of that country into further sessions at Paris. Delegates of all the associated governments have expressed the opinion that a secure peace can hardly be considered to have been made while Russia remains on fire.

It is regarded as quite significant in circles surrounding the peace congress that it should be announced that the first plan for a league of nations to be considered comes from Premier Lloyd George of Great Britain. This is quite in consonance with what has been known in a very small circle close to the American delegates, that President Wilson plans to have European ideas come before the congress in advance of his own.

AMERICA'S PLAN LAST.

American officials explain that Mr Wilson's purpose is not only out of deference to European nations which have sacrificed so much in the war, or out of deference to views of European statesmen, but that there is a technical advantage in reserving America's plans until all others have been fully discussed, when they may be brought forward, probably to form a bridge by which disagreements that may have developed may be dissipated.

Mr. Wilson has told his colleagues that he has no personal pride of authorship in the plan for the league and is quite ready to place himself in a position of supporting some other nation's plan rather than proposing one of his own, if he feels that procedure will best serve the common purpose. If discussion goes on according to this plan it appears likely that both the British and the French plans will be discussed before the President brings out his own, which is now entirely completed and ready for presentation at any time.

Mr. Wilson will go ahead with his announced purpose of devoting all his energies to reducing various views on the league of nations to a basis of agreement while awaiting results from the effort to compose the differences between Russian factions. He intends to adhere to his determination to hold all other plans secondary, including his visit to Brussels and his trip to the battlefields and devastated regions.

TROOPS WITH WILSON.

It is now definitely settled that a large number of American troops will go to America with President Wilson on the liner George Washington.

The preliminary peace will be signed early in June at the latest, according to the most trustworthy information, says Marcel Hutin in the Echo de Paris today.

The recognition of the new government of Poland is expected here. Action to this end, it is believed, will be taken shortly.

Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, who was told on his arrival here last night of measures relative to Russia adopted by the peace congress, said:

"I think it is a very wise decision and hope it will have satisfactory results in restoring peace in Russia and placing that unfortunate country again into comity with the great factors of the civilization of the world."

President Wilson last night received a deputation of the students of the Sorbonne. They gave him a souvenir album bound in old parchment, and containing excellent photographs of the Rheims Cathedral before the war.

HAIL WILSON AS RUSSIA'S SAVIOR.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Jan. 23.—(British Wireless Service.) "There is no reason to suppose that this wise and high-minded offer will be rejected by any Russian government," says the Daily News, in commenting on the action of the Supreme Inter-Allied War Council in asking representatives of all Russian governments to meet delegates of the Allied and associated powers in Prince's Island for discussion of the Russian question.

"It affords them all a chance of escape from a future full of menace," the paper adds. "It relieves them from threats of foreign interference, which would have made fiercer class antagonisms and accentuated the material miseries that have so long tormented the hapless Russian people. But it is not only Russia that President Wilson has probably saved by this resolution; it is the hope of the league of nations."

BIG BOND ISSUE IS AUTHORIZED.

Edison Company is Granted Authority by Railroad Commission.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 23.—The State Railroad Commission today granted the Southern California Edison Company authority to issue $5,000,000 of its general and refunding twenty-five-year 6 per cent. bonds, due January 1, 1944, and a similar amount of ten-year 7 per cent. serial debentures.

Authority to make these issues was granted on the stipulation that none of the bonds shall be sold for less than 93, plus accrued interest. The proceeds of the sale will be devoted to pay for refunding general and refunding bonds and to pay in whole or part certain notes.

RELIEF FUND INQUIRY IN EUROPE PLANNED.

FORMER RED CROSS OFFICIAL TO STUDY CHARITY WORK OF AMERICANS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—Investigation as to the manner in which war charity funds provided by the American public are being expended in Europe by more than 100 organizations will be conducted by W. Frank Persons, formerly director-general of civilian relief for the American Red Cross, it was announced tonight by the national investigation bureau.

The inquiry by Mr. Persons, the statement added, has the approval of the War Department. He will sail January 25 and be abroad about three months. The seven organizations which participated in the recent war work campaign will not be included in the inquiry.

Mr. Persons, it was explained, will work in full co-operation with the organizations with a view to suggesting improvement of their work. He will also survey the general European relief situation to find out what relief may be required from the American public in the next few months.

GOVERNMENT CONTROL OF WIRES PROTESTED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—Protests against continued government control of telegraphs and telephones were presented to the House Postoffice Committee today by the Vermont, Montana and New Mexico Public Service commissions.

NATIONAL ASSEMBLY IN GERMANY TO SIT LONG.

ADOPTION OF CONSTITUTION AT WEIMAR TO FOLLOW SELECTION OF MINISTRY.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BERLIN, Wednesday, Jan. 22.—The German national Assembly which will convene at Weimar February 6, is expected to be in session about two months. The first business before the Assembly will be the selection of a provisional government because the present government considers its existence at an end with the convening of a constituent Assembly.

The Assembly will then take up the adoption of a constitution. The present government as such will not present any proposal and the draft drawn up by the Ministry of the Interior will be submitted merely as a preliminary suggestion to form the basis of discussion.

The obligatory task of the constituent Assembly will be finished with the adoption of a constitution, but it has the right to make of itself a constituted instead of a constituting body and this probably will be done. In that case the Assembly will be obliged to regulate taxes and financial questions by legislation.

The peace question probably will not be considered, as it is not expected the Germans will be admitted to the Peace Conference before the adjournment of the Assembly.

The matter of lodging the 3000 persons who are expected to attend the convention is a serious one because Weimar is a small city with limited accommodations. The municipal authorities there are considering the question of billeting the delegates and journalists with private families, if necessary, and in adjacent cities. Telegraph, telephone and postal communications will be enlarged and train service also will be increased. Work in this direction already is under way.

The constituent Assembly of the various German States probably will not convene until after the national Assembly has completed its work.

LANDLADY SOLD BOOZE.

Hotel Proprietor to be Sentenced Today for Law Violation.

Mrs. J. A. Johnson, landlady of the Yosemite Hotel, No. 115½ South Broadway, was found guilty yesterday by Police Judge Chesebro of having in her possession and selling liquor in a place of public resort in violation of the city ordinance. She will appear in court at 2 o'clock this afternoon for sentence.

Officers J. E. and G. O. Davis and Dillon raided the premises, only a few yards from their squad headquarters, on January 5 and found eight quarts of whisky and thirty-six bottles of beer. They arrested Mrs. Johnson and her partner, C. R. Lawrence. The case against the latter was dismissed yesterday because of insufficient evidence.

TELLS SIN'S PENALTIES.

Evangelist Discusses Inevitable Punishment for Wrong.

Taking for his text, "Be Sure Your Sin will find You Out," Dr. Torrey, speaking at the revivalist meeting at the Bible Institute last night, said:

"I could stand here by the hour and tell you incidents that have come under my personal observation of men and women who have committed crimes and who have had sooner or later to pay the penalty of their sin. You may escape human laws, but you cannot escape God's laws. Your sin will find you out in a court that cannot be bribed, and that is the court of physical retribution, for every crime you commit. Not only is that true of certain well-known sins, which sooner or later result in certain well-known diseases, but it is true of every sin."

Tonight Dr. Torrey will speak on "The Judgment Day."

CAUGHT BY PEDDLER.

Identified by an old shoestring peddler, A. Salaman, as the man who held him up and robbed him of a small amount of money Wednesday night, Manhildo Marin of No. 512 Turner street was arrested last night by Detectives Rico and Rico, and lodged in the City Jail facing charges of robbery. The peddler recognized the alleged robber on the street and followed him to his home.

CALIFORNIA MEN REACH NEW YORK

Fifty-second Ammunition Train Home on Orizaba.

Made up of Coast Residents and Saw Hard Service.

Twenty-seventh Division may Parade in Gotham.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—With the announcement today that virtually the complete strength of the Twenty-seventh (New York National Guard) Division has been assigned for early convoy by Gen. Pershing, plans began to take shape here for an adequate reception to this first combat division to return. If it is found practicable to do so, New York City will be given an opportunity to see the organization in parade at full strength, with its fighting equipment, its recovered wounded and its battle trophies before it is demobilized.

Secretary Baker reiterated today his desire that wherever possible either the full strength or substantial portions of the returning combat divisions parade in large cities in the section from which they came.

Mr. Baker expressed a strong wish that the Forty-second (Rainbow) Division, now with the American army on the Rhine, parade in Washington as representative of the entire country and the whole fighting army. Whether it will be possible to arrange for a complete divisional parade of the Twenty-seventh depends on many factors, it was said at the War Department. In any case, however, a substantial portion of the division will be paraded before it disbands.

It was announced that men of the Twenty-seventh who have already returned, even those who have been mustered out, would be given an opportunity to march with their comrades. The sick and wounded will be carried in ambulances or other motor transportation.

NO ARTILLERY SHIPPED.

The units of the Twenty-seventh assigned for return include both infantry and the artillery brigades, as well as the divisional trains, machine gun battalions and other organizations. They have an aggregate strength of more than 900 officers and 19,000 men out of a full divisional strength of about 27,000. The men will return with their side arms, but as yet no artillery has been shipped home from France and presumably none of the motor transport equipment of the trains will accompany the troops homeward.

It is possible, however, that horses, guns and other equipment to give the command a full parade complement will be assembled at Camp Upton for its use.

Another suggestion that Secretary Baker is considering has to do with the German guns and other fighting gear captured in battle by the Twenty-seventh. He may ask Gen. Pershing to arrange for the shipment of these trophies with the division so that they may be displayed by the troops when the march of triumph through the streets of New York takes place.

BRINGS 2400.

The transport Martha Washington has sailed from France with 2400 troops, including 250 sick and wounded. She is expected to reach Newport News January 28.

The battleship Connecticut also is due at Newport News February 1 with about 1000 men, and the transport Mallory is expected to reach New York January 31, with 1800 men of the Three Hundred and Twenty-seventh Field Artillery and a number of casuals and wounded.

Troops aboard the Martha Washington, the War Department announced today, are mainly from the Eighty-third Division (Ohio and West Virginia.)

Aboard the steamship La Lorraine, due at New York January 31, are Battery F and a detachment of the Three Hundred and Ninety-ninth Field Artillery, of the Eighty-eighth Division, assigned to Camp Dodge.

The One Hundred and Sixty-second and Four Hundred and Ninetieth Aero Squadrons and Sixth Company, Second Regiment air service mechanics, all bound for Camp Meade; casual companies of marines and Iowa troops sailed on the Connecticut.

EL SOL DUE FEBRUARY 3.

The transport El Sol is due at Newport News February 3 with six casual officers and fifty-nine civilians and the transport Bremerton at New York February 3, with a detachment of six South Dakota men, five officers of the Eight Hundred and Fourteenth Pioneer Infantry and nine casual officers.

Practically the complete strength of the Twenty-seventh Division (New York National Guard,) about 25,000 men, has been ordered assembled for early convoy home from France.

It was announced Tuesday that the Twenty-seventh, Thirtieth and Thirty-seventh divisions had been ordered to prepare for embarkation and it is understood the assembling of the Twenty-seventh as a unit means that the same course will be followed in returning the other two.

CALIFORNIANS ABOARD.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—The transport Orizaba returned 2565 troops to American soil today. About 240 are sick or wounded. The hospital ship Mercy, with 390 sick or wounded, arrived from France together with the Suriname, bringing thirty-six officers.

The arrivals on the transport Orizaba include the Fifty-second Ammunition Train complete and twelve casual companies of the Signal Corps, chemical warfare service and other branches of the service. The vessels left Brest January 14.

[The Fifty-second Ammunition Train is a coast artillery organization, made up almost entirely of California men. It was organized at Fort MacArthur and left for France last May. The unit has seen considerable hard service.]

Private George Luden, a gray-haired man of 54 years, who lives in Vancouver, B. C., a veteran of the Philippine wars, who with his eight sons, left his farm in Vancouver to join the Eighty-second Artillery, was another arrival returned on the Orizaba. He fought as a private on several fronts rather than accept a commission in the Quartermaster Corps, which had been proffered him.

Private John Anstrom of San Francisco died of pneumonia during the voyage

WOUNDED MEN ARRIVE.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 23.—Still showing signs of gas attacks or wounds met with in the Argonne Forest battles, sixty-five members of the American overseas force arrived here today from Camp Merritt, N. J., for demobilization. The men were discharged recently from the Camp Merritt Hospital.

Simultaneously, a unit of 171 casuals from Camp Lewis and another of thirty-seven casuals from Camp Eustis, Va., arrived at the demobilization camp. Practically all were National Army men.

Tomorrow the demobilization camp will receive 123 men from Vancouver Barracks, Wash., 410 from Camp Lewis and 200 from Camp Kearny. There are 4059 men awaiting discharge in the camp, of which all but 858 will be demobilized by Monday.

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—Wounded men or soldiers remaining in hospitals overseas number approximately 104,000, Col. W. H. Smith of the Surgeon-General's office today told the Senate committee conducting an inquiry of hospital facilities and construction. Many of the these wounded, he said, will not be brought home until they recover.

In the hospitals of this country, Col. Smith said, there are now about 44,500 vacant beds which can be placed in use as additional wounded and sick are returned.

Brig.-Gen. Marshall, chief of the construction division of the Quartermaster's Corps, testifying in relation to rejection of the plan to build a $3,250,000 military hospital at Chicago, said the project was disapproved by Assistant Secretary of War Crowell over the recommendations of the medical authorities.

Milton J. Trainor of the War Department's real estate division, who was charged yesterday in testimony before the committee with seeking a commission of $100,000 from a Chicago construction company in connection with the hospital, notified the committee today that he desired to appear to answer the charge.

THAT BURGLAR AGAIN.

The Wilshire district second-story dinner burglar again made his appearance last night when H. W. Blaisdell of No. 3057 Wilshire boulevard reported to the police that while the family was at dinner a burglar had climbed the porch and entered a bedroom on the second floor. Although the intruder ransacked three rooms he secured only a pair of opera glasses, according to Mr. Blaisdell.

California cattle ranch for sale with cattle; big bargain. Percy H. Clark, 715 Van Nuys Bldg.—[Advertisement.

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THE DAY'S NEWS SUMMED UP

THE SKY. Clear. Wind at 5 p.m., west; velocity, 7 miles. Thermometer, highest, 77 deg.; lowest 55 deg. Forecast: Friday, fair. For complete weather data see last page of this section.

THE CITY. Beekeeper of Imperial Valley who was tarred and feathered in the Liberty Loan drive filed the first of a number of big damage suits and also asked that the Police Commissioner at Brawley be ousted.

Re-elected for a second term, the president of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association predicted a year of industrial peace and favored the continuation of good wages.

Pantages invited distinguished guests to attend tomorrow the ceremony of breaking ground for his new theater and seven-story structure which is to be the headquarters of his enterprises instead of Seattle.

Unique action was taken by the Superior Court in giving the county possession of land which it is to condemn for the widening of the Long Beach channel in connection with flood control.

Elderly divorce-seeker told the court that her third husband took her money and auto and said goodby. Judge scores those who prey on susceptible widows.

Five persons were injured, one perhaps fatally, when their auto was smashed by a street railway car at the end of a day's motoring to the beaches.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Carranza government raises export duty on cotton from $7 to $50 per bale, which halts movement of Lower California product.

Pasadenans circulate petitions asking for repeal of compulsory mask-ing ordinance.

PACIFIC SLOPE. Minor amendment delays final passage in Assembly of administration's soldiers' employment bill as adopted in Senate. Six months' pay for soldiers is asked of Congress by legislative resolution.

Francisco Villa leads band in raid of mining town, where American Smelting Company's mines are located; Americans detained but are unhurt, stores looted.

WASHINGTON. Railroad statistics show large decrease in income, large increase in operating expenses, and losses mounting rapidly.

Official circles discuss possibility of American troops being withdrawn from Russia following truce ordered to permit All-Slav conference with Allies.

Three States enter 100 per cent. American citizenship drive, being assisted by universities and schools.

Both advocates and opponents of $100,000,000 Food Relief Bill requested by President Wilson, expect passage of the measure today.

China has demanded revision of Japanese treaty forced on her in 1915, declaring Peace Conference must give China justice.

FOREIGN. Supreme Peace Council begins consideration of league of nations plans while awaiting Russian factions' acceptances of invitation to conference.

Serious strikes and threats of others in England are held indications of attempt on part of unions to revolutionize condition of labor employment.

Envoy from Russian government at Omsk refuses to meet Bolsheviki representatives in conference as proposed by Supreme War Council to settle Russian problem.

Capacity audiences swept off their feet in a cyclone of emotion at D. W. Griffith's super-spectacle the Fall of Babylon now at the Kinema

BOYS!

Back to school again for you next week

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"Bolshevism is just around the corner," said Assemblyman Brooks, who offered the measure. "There will be no hunger among returned soldiers." Assemblyman Gebhart and others urged that the state could not be too lavish with money in assisting returned soldiers.

NEGLECTING MEN.

To offered a resolution today calling on the government to allow the men to retain their uniforms and arms of their equipment," said Gebhart. "We are neglecting the men of the Spanish War soldiers were not.

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...Thompson and Assembly...Gebhart, at the request of the ...Labor Bureau, introduced ...would abolish district ...and created of superin...of companies, to which, ...present law, appeals have ...when operators were dis...rulings made by in...by the State oil and ...Under the terms of ...operator would appeal ...for an injunction in ...of the inspector was ...by his company. ...were introduced a ...by Senator Rigdon and ...Chamber of Mines and ...Angeles. These bills provide for the recall of a State oil and gas supervisor upon petition of the oil companies and for quicker action on the matter of oil well drilling rulings.

URGE HIGHWAY BONDS.

A conference of various organizations interested in highway construction with the Senate Highway Committee resulted in the organization of a committee to consider a proposal to urge the issuance of additional bonds for highway construction. The amount mentioned ranged from $20,000,000 to $30,000,000.

An executive committee, of which Senator Johnson was named chairman, arranged for a meeting to be held February 12 in San Francisco at which all persons interested in highways were urged to outline their views.

State savings banks would be permitted to join the Federal reserve system under the terms of a bill introduced today by Assemblyman Prendergast at the request of the State banking department. The measure would allow the banks to place the 9 per cent. reserve required by law with the Federal Reserve Bank and permit an increase from 5 to 10 per cent. in the amount of bankers acceptances of commercial paper the State banks are allowed to hold.

Assemblyman Hawes proposed a constitutional amendment to permit ten-round boxing bouts under the direction of a "State athletic commission." The Mayors of San Francisco, Los Angeles and Oakland would be members of the commission, the bill provides.

REGULATES TEACHING.

Employment of public school teachers to teach in private schools would be forbidden under the terms of a bill introduced today by Senator Burnett.

A resolution memorializing Congress to enact laws "prohibiting forever the entrance into the United States of any person who has served in the German army during this war" was presented to the Legislature today by Assemblyman Wickham.

The resolution said the "crucifixion of Canadian soldiers and other inhuman crimes" of German soldiers should "bar them from becoming our neighbors."

A number of bills relating to the insurance laws of California were introduced in the Legislature today by Senator Burnett. They included amendments and additional sections of existing laws.

One would extend the State Insurance Commissioner's power of revocation of brokers' licenses and give him similar power over insurance agents. Another measure prohibits bonus contracts between insurance companies and their managers or officers. The salary of the Deputy Insurance Commissioner would be increased from $2700 to $2600 a year by another bill. Another amendment would give the Insurance Commissioner power to require statements from insurance companies oftener than once a year. Workmen's compensation insurance would be placed in a separate class from other insurance by another measure, and still another amendment would require domestic companies to have their capital stock fully paid up before doing business.

TO RETIRE JUDGES.

A bill establishing retirement salaries for Supreme and Appellate Court justices and Superior judges was introduced today in the Senate by Senator Harris. It provided that where a judge of any of these three courts had served twenty-four years in courts of record in the State he should be retired. Supreme Court justices would receive retirement salaries of $4000 annually, Appellate $3500 and Superior judges $3000.

McDonald presented several bills providing for bounties for killing predatory wild animals and birds.

A bill by Scott would appropriate $250,000 to erect two monuments to soldiers, sailors and marines who served in the European war, to be erected at Fort Point, San Francisco, and Lime Point, Marin county, contingent on similar appropriations by the counties and the Federal government.

A bill making it a misdemeanor for any person, firm or corporation to refuse employment to a person because he had reached a certain age was presented by Anderson by request.

A bill practically revising completely the present State primary law will be introduced in the Senate tomorrow, Senator Rominger announced today. He said the measure would dispense with circulating nominating petitions. Persons desiring to become candidates could do so by paying a filing fee of $500 for Federal offices, and $100 for State offices. At present a fee of $50 must accompany each candidate's petition.

BILLS TOTAL 1371.

A total of 1371 bills had been introduced in both houses at adjournment today. Five hundred and fifty-one of these were introduced in the Senate. A large number probably will be introduced tomorrow before adjournment for the constitutional recess of thirty days. The total number introduced in both houses the first half of the session two years ago was 2473.

Ten bills will be presented tomorrow by various members of the Legislature for the Governor's efficiency and economy commission. These provide for the grouping of State offices and departments under ten department heads. Other efficiency and economy measures to be proposed by the commission probably will not be introduced until the session reconvenes February 24.

A bill by Senator F. M. Carr to expedite the counting of ballots at elections was not completed today, but Carr said it would be introduced tomorrow probably in blanket form and be amended at the second half of the session.

ASSEMBLY BILLS.

Other bills were introduced in the Assembly by the following:

Poisley—To give the State Board of Health authority to order windows and doors of houses screened in malarial districts.

Brooks—To empower the Governor to name a committee of five to recommend means of increasing foreign market for California products.

Broughton—To prohibit the waste of water in cases where the value of the wasted water is more than the cost of preventing such waste.

Poisley—To make it necessary for hunters to have indorsed on their hunting licenses the district in which they expect to hunt deer.

Brooks—To make uniform the taxes imposed on motor trucks on interurban runs.

Gebhart—To provide a plan for planting trees along highways.

Argabrite and Dorris—To determine the boundary line between Kern and Ventura counties.

Kasch — An "anti-professional juror" bill to prohibit any person having served upon a jury in which an issue was decided, from again serving as a juror within one year.

White—To require the State Railroad Commission to give due notice of hearings to a municipality where its interests are involved.

Saylor—To require any public or private hospital or the insane to receive and treat for not more than thirty days any persons needing immediate attention on request from any physician, State or local peace officer or judge or district attorney.

Locke—Togive legal recognition to meetings of representatives of cities or counties called for the exchange of ideas on improving governmental affairs.

Prendergast—To provide for the employment of public health nurses in schools and public clinics.

Allen—To appropriate $5000 for high school cadet companies.

MORNING SESSION.

Measures providing for the enforcement of prohibition in California when the national dry amendment becomes effective were introduced this morning by Senator Harris. One measure makes transportation, sale and distribution of intoxicating liquor unlawful, and prevents persons having it in their possession, whether in airplanes or on the ground.

Manufacture of alcohol for medicinal purposes and use of wine for sacramental purposes would be made lawful through permits to be issued by the Attorney-General of the State.

An arbitrary maximum price of 12½ cents a pound for any and all kinds of fish gathered in the waters of California and along its shores, would be established under the terms of a bill introduced by Senator Scott.

Measures proposed by Assemblyman Kasch would turn over fines collected for violation of fish and game laws to the county and not to the commission; would repeal the act providing for hunting and fishing licenses, and place State bounties on predatory birds and animals. Kasch also had a bill providing "that the mistaken belief that a human being is some other animal or object or that a firearm is not loaded shall not constitute an excuse or defense for homicide."

TO REGULATE PRICES.

Creation of the office of "State food administrator," to be held by the Superintendent of Weights and Measures, was proposed by Assemblyman Graves in a bill he introduced today.

The proposed administrator would be empowered, under the terms of the bill, to investigate the cost of manufacturing foods and foodstuffs to "prevent their sale at prices below market value for the purpose of advertising or with intent to defeat competition or at inflated prices which, in the best judgment of the administrator, may be termed profiteering."

State aid for incorporated agricultural fair associations was proposed by Assemblyman Kenny in a bill today. It provided the State would pay "an annual sum, not exceeding $1000, equal to the amount paid by such association as premiums for exhibits, exclusive of premiums paid for trials of speed. Such premium shall be paid only upon products of the State."

An Assembly joint resolution protesting to the Federal government against the reported award of shipbuilding contracts aggregating more than $30,000,000 to China and other foreign interests by the Emergency Fleet Corporation, was to be considered in the Assembly today.

HOLIDAY PLANNED.

April 30 would be made a State holiday known as "health day," under the terms of a bill by Crowley. The day would be observed by activities to better the health and sanitary conditions of the various communities.

A bill providing for the assessment of capital stock of State banks to establish a depositors' guarantee fund was introduced by Slater and Evans.

Provision for re-establishing the National Guard of California was made in a bill introduced by Scott. It provides that former members who were discharged to permit them to enter the Federal service at the outbreak of the war may return to their former organizations within ninety days after they receive their Federal discharges.

Employers permitting their employees to accept tips would be required to post notices in the places of business showing their pecuniary interest in such tips, and to what extent they figured in the employees' wages, in a bill by Lyon. He also introduced a proposed constitutional amendment providing for a poll tax on every male, but the amount was not stated.

STATE LAW PROPOSED TO REDUCE PAYROLLS.

BILL TO CUT INSURANCE COMMISSIONER'S SALARY OFFERED BY ROMINGER.

By Horace W. Karr.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 23.—State Senator Rominger of Long Beach will introduce a bill in the Legislature just before adjournment tomorrow that will cause many a law-maker who has been preaching economy and retrenchment serious consideration before voting. The bill is an amendment which would reduce the salary of Insurance Commissioner McCabe to $4000. He now draws $6000 a year.

There is not a member in either house of the Legislature who is not shouting economy. Many of them no doubt are sincere in their desire to reduce the expenses of the State, but it is believed there are many others who are in favor of an economy programme only in the event that it does not curtail the income of personal friends or members of the State administration family.

The position of McCabe is unique in that he was appointed insurance commissioner by Hiram Johnson as compensation for past favors. After the appointment he began to realize his strength as an administration whip and without difficulty got the Legislature to increase his salary $2000 a year. In addition, he is allowed a liberal expense account and his department is practically unrestrained in the spending of money.

If the members vote in support of Rominger's amendment their action will be a reflection upon McCabe and will demonstrate to a suspicious public that Johnson's former lieutenant is not in control of affairs at the capital. They also will show by their action that they have faith in Gov. Stephens's declaration for economy and are willing to support him to the fullest extent.

While the bill is of minor importance when compared with other measures suggested by various efficiency and economy organizations the result of Rominger's step will be watched with considerable interest. Its effect politically can hardly be estimated.

Commenting on the bill Rominger said:

"There are thousands of California men returning today from France, who stand high in ability and yet on their return find no positions open for them even at $2400 per annum.

"The salary of the present insurance commissioner was raised two years ago from $4000 to $6000, as was generally understood, to compensate him for services rendered in superintending the many reforms in legislation during the administration of former Gov. Johnson. If he was entitled to the compensation at all, he has now had the benefits of it for two years, reaping a golden harvest of $12,000, and in view of the fact that "retrenchment and economy" is the watchword of the forty-third session, it is only fitting and proper that this one of many exorbitant salaries be reduced, and if the present commissioner cannot afford to continue at $4000 per annum, I predict there are many worthy young gentlemen returning from the front who will be glad to accept so lucrative a position with a $4000 salary."

REPORTS SHOW HUNS' LOOTING EXTENSIVE.

TEUTONS' THEFT OF HOUSEHOLD GOODS CONTINUE TILL MONTH OF TRUCE.

By Floyd P. Gibbons.

[ATLANTIC CABLE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PARIS, Jan. 23.—The extent to which the Germans and Austrians robbed the devastated countries through which they were forced to withdraw even as late as one month before the armistice is being brought out by the reports of agents of the United States Food Commission in the liberated areas.

Today's cable brought an appeal from American agents in Serbia for bed clothing. The agents reported from Belgrade, where, the week before their withdrawal, the Austrians loaded sixty trains with beds, mattresses, quilts and blankets stolen from the houses of the townspeople and peasants.

The Germans' final act to cripple Belgium was commicted with premeditation, even after the German army knew it was beaten and would have to withdraw. One month before the armistice was signed the Germans blew up and destroyed twenty-seven of the thirty steel mills in Belgium. These mills had been worked by the Germans to supply structural metal and ammunition for their armies throughout the war.

Their destruction as recently as one month before the armistice not only sadly crippled Belgium in her efforts toward reconstruction, but indicates to knowing ones Germany's desire to eliminate Belgium as an industrial competitor after the war.

Throughout Belgium's many miles of canals the peasants are daily unloading stalled German barges, some loaded with as much as hundreds of tons of household goods, all stolen from Belgian homes by the Kaiser's retreating troops.

Much of the loot was landed in Germany, and its absence during the present cold season is causing untold misery in Belgium.

BURY ARMY MAN WITH MILITARY HONORS.

Funeral services for Maj. Lester Earl Moreton, former instructor in mathematics at West Point, who died at the academy January 8, were conducted yesterday with military honors at the home of his wife's mother, Mrs. Ellen A. Short, No. 2238 West Thirtieth street. A detachment of officers and soldiers from Fort MacArthur was present at the funeral services and accompanied the body to the place of burial in Inglewood Cemetery. Maj. Moreton formerly resided in Salt Lake City, but married Miss Marjorie Short of this city in 1914. Besides the widow and a daughter, the dead man leaves his father and four brothers and two sisters.

MOTHER FAINTS AS SON IS SENTENCED.

LAD IS SENT TO IONE FOR TWO YEARS FOR JOY RIDING IN OTHER'S AUTO.

When Harry Mudgett, 19 years old, was sentenced by Judge Craig yesterday to Ione until he is 21, for joy riding in an automobile not his own, the mother of the defendant, Mrs. Gertrude Mudgett, fainted in court. She was cared for by a bailiff.

Mudgett and Clyde Skansen, accused jointly, had asked for probation, but the court held their past record did not justify leniency. Skansen was sentenced to six months in the County Jail. Both young men had pleaded guilty.

They were accused of taking a truck belonging to Adolph Levy of No. 330 West Fifth street, employer of Mudgett; of leaving it wrecked at Capistrano, and taking another car at Santa Ana for the return trip to Los Angeles. Several girls made the trip with them. It was also shown that Mudgett had taken a car once before for the same purpose.

Frank Recob and Jesse Lethey, former soldiers at Camp Kearny, pleaded guilty before Judge Craig to joy riding in the automobile of Edward C. Smith of Long Beach. Lethey asked for probation, hearing for which will be on February 4. Recob did not ask probation. He will come up for sentence on January 27.

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LEG OR ARM LOST BY 3000 YANKEES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—Two soldiers out of every 1000 who fought with the American army overseas lost an arm or a leg.

Lieut.-Col. Strong of the Army Medical Corps told the House Military Affairs Committee today that 3000 of the total combat force of 1,500,000 men were so maimed and that 1100 had been returned home and were being fitted with artificial limbs in military hospitals.

An appropriation of $7,000,000 to purchase artificial limbs, as well as serums and vaccines, was asked for by the Medical Corps.

RAILROAD LOSS STILL GROWING.

Earnings for 1918 Total $250,000,000 Under 1917.

Operating Expense Increased $1,119,000,000.

Last December Earnings Show Big Falling Off.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—Railroads in 1918 under government control and unusual war conditions earned about $718,000,000, or $250,000,000 less than in 1917, $370,000,000 less than in the record year of 1916, and about the same as in 1915.

This became apparent today on the basis of definite reports to the Interstate Commerce Commission of earnings of 195 principal railroads—those having annual operating revenues of more than $1,000,000—for eleven months and unofficial calculation of December earnings, which Railroad Administration reports indicate will be considerably smaller than those of preceding months.

Although subject to slight revision, the figures afford the first public view of the results of railway operations last year, so far as earnings are concerned.

Returns from freight, passenger, express and other transportation during the year amounted to approximately $4,873,000,000, or $522,000,000 more than in the previous year. Operating expenses jumped to about $3,971,000,000, or about $1,119,000,000 more than in the preceding year.

TRAFFIC FALLS OFF.

Preliminary reports to the Railroad Administration indicate that freight traffic fell off in December, with the virtual stopping of great food shipments destined for Europe and the cessation of the hauling of other war material, while expenses could not be reduced materially. This condition sent the net earnings, or railway operating income, which has been declining steadily since the record month of last July, to probably $25,000,000 or $30,000,000, officials believe. This may be compared to income of $59,204,000 in December of 1917, when blizzards and curtailment of traffic sent earnings to what was then considered a very low record.

The outstanding features of the railway earnings situation last year were that freight and passenger rates were increased to yield about $900,000,000 annually, or $450,000,000 in the six months during which they were effective, while wage advances added $626,000,000 to operating expenses. These are the latest estimates of Railroad Administration accountants, but are not considered final. Wages, particularly, may prove to amount to more than is now believed.

BIG WAGE INCREASE.

The Railroad Administration accountants now report that in 1918 the $1,710,000,000 payroll of the year previous was increased 27 per cent, and that consequently $2,346,000,000 was paid out last year to the 2,000,000 railroad employees. Many wage increases were effective for only the latter part of the year and if these run through the present year, even without other additions which may come from action on pending applications for more pay they would make $784,000,000 additional wages. The wage level at the end of 1918 was a little more than 45 per cent. higher than at the beginning of the year, when the government assumed control.

Prospects for improvement of the earnings situation this year depend mainly on whether business during the readjustment period continues active, and gives a large volume of freight traffic to the railroads. Indications point to a reduction of traffic and consequently to reduced earnings, according to the Railroad Administration.

Director-General Hines has stated that no consideration was being given to any rate increase, but he believes no general reductions can be made this year.

ALLIES TO TRANSPORT GERMAN TROOPS HOME.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Wednesday, Jan. 22.—An official German wireless dispatch says the German armistice commission has announced that, according to a statement made by Marshal Foch at Treves, sea transport for about 25,000 German soldiers assembled at Nikolayev, Russia, as well as German troops at Halfa, Syria, will be undertaken by the Entente.

ALLIES TO KEEP ARMY IN RUSSIA

(Continued from First Page.)

revolution to cover the world."

The Wilson plan for dealing with Russia, which is recognized as a proposal to invite the Bolsheviki to the Peace Conference, and the French demand that the Soviets be ignored, elicited diverse comment from Senators.

Senator Sherman remarked to the Senate that he supposed the $100,000,000 food fund asked by the President would be expended on the Bolsheviki "and their victims if there are any left."

SEES FINAL AGREEMENT.

Senator Hitchcock, chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee, hailed the plan as "a final agreement among the powers on the Russian policy which gives an appreciable hope of success in solving the problem."

Senator Borah said that in declaring against a counter revolution the powers had recognized the existing government and that it is the right step to take.

Senator King of Utah, Democrat, condemned the Wilson plan, saying he approved the French attitude.

"With the record we have of the perfidy of Lenine and Trotzky the conclusive proof that they acted as the agents of Germany, and in view of the bloody class warfare that they have carried out and further in view of their denunciation of our own nation and of the democratic principles upon which it is founded and their avowed purpose to destroy it, as well as all other nations, I do not see how the Peace Conference with honor to itself or a proper regard to the nations it represents, could have any dealings with the Bolsheviki," said Senator King.

EX-KAISER IS STILL SAWING CASTLE WOOD.

FORMER EMPEROR KEEPS HIS HOST SUPPLIED WITH FUEL FOR BUILDING.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

AMERONGEN, Wednesday, Jan. 22.—Sawing wood continues to be the chief occupation of the former Emperor, who spends several hours each morning and afternoon within the castle grounds working hard, while several men servants respectfully hand him logs and then pile the short sticks in heaps for use later in the furnaces of the castle.

The shortage of coal in Holland compels the burning of wood, plentiful supplies of which are obtainable from the surrounding estate. William Hohenzollern works so well that he is able to furnish the entire consumption of the castle fires.

The former Emperor scarcely ever speaks to his attendants while he is at work.

The two moats which encircle the castle are covered with ice sufficiently thick to bear skaters. The villagers, however, have been given to understand that the accustomed permission to skate in the moats cannot be accorded while the former Emperor is in the castle.

There are various reports in circulation concerning the alleged intention of the former German Empress to return to Potsdam. These are based on her expressed desire to end her days at Potsdam, which she regards as her home. The former Empress, it is said, has no intention of leaving her husband in Holland. Communication between the former Empress and her children and grandchildren is fairly frequent by letter and telegram, but no suggestion has arisen to her joining them in Germany.

For several weeks nothing has been heard from the former Crown Prince, who remains virtually alone in his home on the Island of Wierengen.

Several more members of the former Emperor's suite are about to leave for Germany, where, as state servants, they must place themselves at the disposal of the government or forfeit their right to pensions.

Lieut.-Gen. Von Estorff, whose wife is an American, will continue to devote himself to the former Emperor. The general has resigned his rank in the Germany army. At present Gen. Von Estorff is suffering from a cold as a result of the dampness of the climate.

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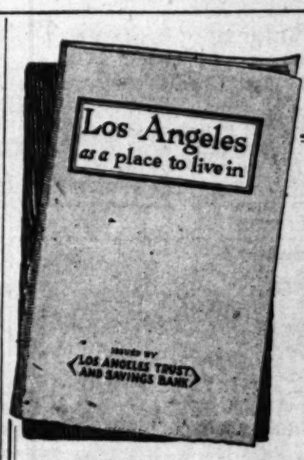

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PREP SWIMMERS SET A NEW MARK.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 23.—Lane Technical High School swimmers made a new national interscholastic relay record in the Chicago Athletic Association pool tonight, marking their third victory in the city relay championships and the permanent acquisition of the Robert W. Hyman trophy. Their team swam the 240 yards in 2:15 2-5.

BABY MAY LOSE EYE.

Unidentified Boy Throws Stone into Child's Carriage.

Dorothy Samarin, 1-year-old daughter of Mrs. Anna Samarin, of No. 424 Gless street, will in all probability lose the sight of her right eye. An unidentified boy threw a large stone into the baby carriage while the infant was asleep. At the Receiving Hospital Dr. Fabrick performed an operation on the eye.

Chicago Cubs Announce Trip to the Coast.

Larry Brown and the Big Biplane He Will Fly at Ascot.
This photograph shows the ex-military plane tester leaving the ground at Venice yesterday in a trial flight.

CUBS TRAIN AT PASADENA

Completed Schedule for the Trip is Now Ready for Public.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 23.—No longer is there any doubt about the Cubs going to California for spring training. A telegram from Cal Ewing, boss of the Oakland club, today closed an exhibition game between the Cubs and Oakland for Sunday morning, April 6, and brought the information that the Coast League will not open its season until Tuesday, April 8. Had the Coast Leaguers opened about April 1, as customary, it possibly would have blocked the plans of the Cubs to train out there.

So far games have been booked at Los Angeles, March 29 and 29, and at Oakland, on the morning of April 6. It is expected San Francisco will be played on April 5, and on the afternoon of April 6, but so far the date has not been closed. Mitchell's plan is to land his squad at Pasadena on Saturday, March 22, and begin training on the following day. They will have eleven or twelve days at the Pasadena camp, then move up to Oakland and San Francisco. On April 7, the homeward journey will be started, exhibition games being played all along the route, winding up with a pair at Kansas City, on April 19 and 20, after which the champs will be hauled home for the opening, on the North Side, April 23.

There will be several fellows now on the reserve list of the Chicago Cubs who will be looking for jobs in a few days. One of them, Tom Clarke, catcher, was sent notice of his unconditional release, Wednesday, by President Mitchell, and about a half-dozen more will be hearing from the boss before long, because the intention is to take only about twenty-eight men on the training trip, and there are about thirty-four names on the list.

President Mitchell and Vice-President Veeck this week began the work of weeding out, because they expect to send out contracts to the Cub players within the next seven or eight days. The boss declined to name others he intends to dispose of, because he is making a careful study of the entire situation, as well as attempting to use some of the extra material in a trade.

Tom Clarke was a catcher who has given most of his baseball career to the Cincinnati Reds, and was taken by the Cubs last season after Rowdy Elliott and Tommy Daly left for the war. Tom helped out although Bill Killefer and Bob O'Farrell did most of the work, or rather the former, did most of it.

With the release of Clarke came the report that the Cubs may take Eugene (Bubbles) Hargrave back for trial next year. Bubbles was a kid who was being tried out when Roger Bresnahan was manager. He was noted in those days mostly because of the distinctive clothes he wore. He liked a suit with a pronounced check or stripe in it.

Since those days Bubbles has been coming up by way of the minor leagues, instead of trying to break right into the majors before he was old enough to vote. Consequently he's a much better backstop than in the days when he was understudy for Roger and Jimmy Archer. Just at present he is working in the machine shop of the Nash Motors Company up at Kenosha, is married and settled down to clothes of one color.

HOT BASEBALL GOSSIP.

Johnny Powers, owner of the Los Angeles baseball club, is very enthusiastic over the proposed world's series this year between the winner of the American Association and the International post-season series and the victor of the Pacific Coast League race. According to Mr. Powers, the eastern people took kindly to the proposition, and unless all present signs fail, the big series will come off in the West about the middle of next October. The incentive for the easterners to play this series is the fact that their clubs would participate in two championship series, and would therefore out up a pretty snug sum among their players.

Mr. Powers is authority for the statement that the Chicago Cubs are much worried over the prospects that Grover Alexander will not be able to join them in time for the coming spring practice. The Cubs are scheduled to arrive here March 23. According to the new ruling they will be allowed only thirty days' training, which will confine their stay in Southern California to about ten days. They will train at Pasadena. The Angels will cross bats with them March 29-30 at Washington Park. Mr. Powers has hopes that he will be able to squeeze in another game or two with them before they leave here.

The Red Sox are not coming to the Coast. This is definite. Owner Frazee wanted to make the trip, but Manager Barrows did not take kindly to the idea. It appears that Johnny McGraw and Barrows have come to some sort of an agreement to have the Giants and Sox train in the same place.

From present indications it looks very much as if the Pacific Coast League will begin its season April 8 and play a schedule of twenty-eight weeks. This, however, is not final, but will be definitely decided on at a meeting of the Pacific Coast League directors at San Francisco in the early part of February.

Angel players will be glad to learn that Prexy Powers has more than an even chance to get Chuck Wortman from the Chicago Cubs. This crack player came here last season with the Cubs, but was not used much in games. Mr. Powers is going to make a great effort to get him, and if he succeeds Wortman would probably be used at short and Driscoll at third. Among many of the Chicago fans Wortman is regarded as good a fielder as Hollocher, but he is not so good a batter and is not quite so fast on the bases. If Wortman can be procured he would add greatly to the strength of the Angelic line-up.

The following is some baseball chit-chat garnered from Johnny Powers since his return from the East:

Johnny Bassler is at Arcadia, Fla., and writes that he is in first-class health, and is swiping the pill hard. In the games he has played thus far this winter in Florida Johnny has clouted at a .479 clip. He expects to get back to Los Angeles in thirty days, or sixty days at the furthest.

Just as all the big diamond moguls were felicitating themselves on the bright prospects for the coming season at the recent meeting in New York, the Gotham papers put a Jamper on them by announcing that the amusement tax would be raised to 20 per cent. Gloom prevailed for a while, but was soon dispelled when it was declared that the 10 per cent. ruling would not be changed.

The major leagues will have all the players they want this season. At present they have over 1000 players under contract, and with few exceptions the men will be on hand in time to start for the spring training camps. Each club will be allowed only twenty-one players this year.

Red Killefer is sponsor for the statement that Paddy Driscoll, the Cub recruit who will in all probability wear a Seraph uniform this year, was regarded as the best semi-pro player around Chicago last year.

Pitcher W. A. McClaim, who will in all probability wear an Angel uniform this year, is regarded as one of the most promising recruits in Southern California. In two games he pitched for California last year he beat Stanford allowing them only one hit in one game and two in the other. He is over six feet tall. Roots Weber regards him as a "find" and thinks he has the makings of another Partica. McClaim is now at Camp Kearny, but expects to be mustered out very soon.

BILLIARD NOTES

There is quite a lot of activity in billiard circles at this time. Alfred Mackenzie is preparing to hold a pocket billiard tournament for the Pacific Coast championship, which will likely be staged in February.

It is rumored around the Jonathan and Athletic clubs that a pocket billiard match is to be arranged between George Kirkland, Pacific Coast champion, and billiard instructor at the Jonathan Club, and Charley Jordan, billiard instructor at the Athletic Club. Rumor has it that the match is to be a home and home affair.

This would be a great match, as these two experts are absolutely the best at the pocket game on the Coast. Jordan defeated all comers around Seattle for years, and the fans have been trying for a long time to have a match arranged between him and Kirkland, who hasn't lost a match in five years.

On Saturday night, J. E. O'Brien, known to his friends as "Shorty," and George Kirkland are matched to play 100 balls at the Majestic, in their new quarters, No. 126 West Sixth.

O'Brien is one of the toughest players on the Coast, is an ex-champion, and the billiard rock on which many an aspiring champion's hopes have been lost.

In view of the possible Kirkland-Jordan match, this game will give the fans a line on Kirkland's play.

The O'Brien-Kirkland match is to be played under professional championship rules, which means that the game is to be played on a Brunswick-Balke-Collender 5x10 table, with the pocket cross, the 4½ inches across, corners and the pockets of the rider, and the balls shall be 2 5-16 inches.

Thomas Nolan has been asked to referee the game.

NO SPECTATORS TO VIEW GIRLS.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

CLAREMONT, Jan. 23.—No spectators are to be allowed at the series of girls' basketball games to be played at Pomona College this week. For a while it was in doubt as to whether the games would be allowed at all or not, due to the influenza situation, but the board of athletic control, composed of both student and faculty members, met and decided that the games might be played off this week, but no spectators would be allowed to witness them. The games to be played are the annual interclass games, and it was hoped that enough interest would be shown to justify making basketball the major sport of the women and in the future the possible granting of college insignia.

The schedule of the games is as follows:

Thursday, 4:30 p.m.—Sophomores vs. Seniors.

Monday evening — Sophomores vs. Juniors.

Wednesday evening—Sophomores vs. Freshmen.

ASCOT TURNS MADE FASTER.

PAVING ON ROUGH SPOTS WILL ALLOW GREATER SPEED AROUND CORNERS.

Speed on the turns at Ascot Park will nearly double Sunday afternoon, according to the prophecy of George R. Bentel, chairman of the Ascot Speedway Association, who yesterday personally superintended the laying of a twenty-foot strip of paving down the center of the dangerous corners. More racing tires have been burned up on these high-banked turns than possibly any place else in the world. The result has been that the drivers who could negotiate the turns and still save their tires, usually won the race.

Yesterday afternoon, Bentel kept the racers off the track and with the contractor and his crew laid the paving at the turns. The result will be the kind of speed on the turns next Sunday afternoon that should prove "hair raising." Larry Brown, the world famous exhibition flyer, who will appear at Ascot Speedway, Sunday, just preceding the racing events and who will give all the famous military maneuvers, will fly his big war plane from Venice to the Ascot Speedway this afternoon in preparation for the big event.

BALL SHORTAGE STOPS TOURNEY.

Because of a shortage of tennis balls in the city, the Tufts-Lyon tennis tournament scheduled for Sunday has been postponed for another week. The tourney is to be of the singles variety and already there is a good-sized entry list on hand. Because of the postponement entries will be received up to next Thursday and on that day the drawings will take place.

Following is the entry list to date: Tom Ferrandini, Arnold Wolff, Paul Pickett, Harold Gedshall, Max Hunsley, Felix Chappellet, Ernie Greffin, Jack Thomas, J. Reed, Dick Kinkley, Ed Berry, Dave Mannit, P. Olmstead, J. F. Stopp, C. L. Craig, Tom Tominaga, N. C. Rinehard, Frank Smith, G. Nieto, Charles Fredricks, W. Stilwell, H. Tumida, W. B. Mervin, Charles Defenbaugh, Ralph Stilwell, Al Hunseks, Harold Dickenson, George Otto, Percy Bullock, Burton Hinkley and E. A. Conrad.

INDOOR TRACK SQUABBLE SOON.

Entry blanks for the national junior and senior indoor track and field championships, which are to be held at the Thirteenth Regiment armory, Brooklyn, N. Y., on February 15 and March 8, respectively, were mailed yesterday to every important athletic club and college in the United States. The complete list of events on the programme for both titular meets are: Sixty-yard dash, 300-yard run, 600-yard run, 1000-yard run, two-mile run, two-mile walk, seventy-yard high hurdles, medley relay race, standing broad jump, standing high jump, running high jump and sixteen-pound shot put.

California cattle ranch for sale with cattle; big bargain. Percy H. Clark, 715 Van Nuys Bldg.—Advertisement.

FRANK GARBUTT SHOWS 'EM HOW.

Frank A. Garbutt proved conclusively yesterday he can stage a successful comeback, for he defeated Charlie Keppen, supposed-to-be perfect handball player, and Billy Weir four straight games. The match took place as the result of a heated discussion between the three at the Athletic Club, and, judging from the scores, old age simply romped away with tender youth. The scores were: 21-9, 21-14, 21-19 and 21-0.

GIANTS TRAINING TRIP TO FLORIDA.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—The New York National League baseball team will train at Gainesville, Fla., next spring, instead of at Marlin, Tex., where it had gone for eleven successive years, it was announced tonight. The Giants will leave March 20 for the new camp, use of which was offered them by the University of Florida. Exhibition games are scheduled with the Washington Americans and New York Americans.

BOB FITZSIMMONS'S WIFE REMARRIES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 23.—Mrs. Fitzsimmons, widow of one-time Champion Heavyweight Pugilist Bob Fitzsimmons, was married yesterday to Phillip Reiner, a shoe merchant here. Mr. Reiner is a friend of a long, long time, she said. Mrs. Reiner has just returned from France, where she engaged in Red Cross work.

ED TUFTS GIVES FINE EXHIBITION.

Ed Tufts, well-known local sportsman, came back strong yesterday in his golf match with Mrs. Dunn-Webb of Pasadena, defeating the fair player on the Huntington links 2 up. A week ago Mrs. Dunn-Webb defeated Tufts on the Los Angeles Country Club course 3 up and 2. The match was attended by a large number of local golf enthusiasts.

BARRIEAU DRAWS WITH SHADE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

OAKLAND, Jan. 23.—Frank Barrieau won a decision here tonight over George Shade after four rounds of spiritless fighting. The men are local middleweights.

DATE SET FOR A TRACK MEET.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

KANSAS CITY (Mo.) Jan. 23.—Announcement was made tonight that the annual indoor track and field meet held under the auspices of the Kansas City Athletic Club will take place March 8.

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"I advise every suffering woman to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I was in bad health for years and suffered from female weakness. I would have dizzy spells, pains in my back and sides, and was very nervous. I had doctored with several physicians, but they did not help me. I read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in the newspapers, and since taking it I am cured and have a nine months old. I feel like a new woman and have recommended your medicine to my friends. I would be glad to have everybody know what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did for me, and if any woman writes me I will answer all letters."—Mrs. Mary Calhoun, 317 South Main St., Herkimer, N. Y.

Every woman at some period in her life may suffer from such disturbances as Mrs. Calhoun had, and if there is no interested friend to advise, let this be a reminder to try this famous root and herb remedy, which has been overcoming these ailments in women for more than 40 years.

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Why not learn more about this rapidly growing and natural practice? The "J. B. L. Cascade" is produced by Chas. A. Tyrrell, M.D., of New York, who is a specialist on internal baths, and it is now being shown and explained by The Owl Drug Co., who will give you free on request—an interesting booklet on the subject, called "Why Man of To-day is Only 50 Per Cent. Efficient."—(Advertisement.

Don't fret about that ugly rash—Let Resinol heal it

You just dread to put on your clothes—their contact with that distressing rash is unbearable—and every day it becomes worse—more angry looking. Cease fretting—don't let yourself become distracted, for here's the very thing to use—Resinol Ointment.

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To the thousands of people who have been temporarily inconvenienced through their inability to get the Victrola and Victor Records they wanted; to Victor dealers everywhere who in the face of this extreme shortage stood loyally by us and steadfastly refused to offer inferior substitutes, we feel that an explanation is due for this scarcity of Victor products.

Upon the entrance of the United States into the great world war, the Victor Company immediately decided to do its utmost in making war materials. It voluntarily offered its entire plant whole-heartedly to the Government, regardless of the fact that its regular production would be seriously curtailed, regardless of the setback which would temporarily result to the business it took years to build up, regardless of the profits which would necessarily be sacrificed.

It would have been possible to hold off—to keep right on with our regular work and let others do war work. But the Victor Company is a thoroughly American concern, and it does things in the big characteristic American way. It chose to help the Government to the very limit of its resources.

The Government recognized the high state of perfection and thoroughly modern equipment of the gigantic Victor factories, and made more and more use of them until as much as 90% of the plant was at one time engaged in war work. If it were possible to disclose Government secrets and tell of the scientific experiments which were conducted and of the devices and products which were manufactured, the public would appreciate what a valuable help the Victor plant was to the Government in winning the war.

Those parts of the Victor factories which continued to produce Victrolas and Victor Records could not, of course, supply even a reasonable amount of Victor products to the public And the shortage was made even more pronounced because thousands of Victrolas and still more thousands of Victor Records were diverted to the use of America's fighting forces on land and sea—to entertaining and inspiring them, as well as to teaching them French and wireless telegraphy through the Victor special study courses.

Great though the sacrifices were which the Victor Company willingly made to help its country in its hour of need, we would not have it otherwise. And though the inability to get Victor products was exasperating to the public, we do not believe they would have had us shirk our duty. We count it an honor that we were able to serve our country. We are gratified that the Government found our factories of such value.

And with the coming of peace, we recognize the great task that devolves upon us. It is imperative that we supply as quickly as possible those people who rather than accept inferior substitutes, decided to wait patiently until they could get the genuine Victor products they wanted. Added to this there is the increased demand that will come from new sources, for thousands of our returning heroes have learned to appreciate what the Victrola means in their daily lives. The demand upon our resources will be greater than ever, but we return to our chosen work with full confidence in our ability to meet the needs of the future.

So while the Victor plant did its full share in helping to win the war, it is now again bending its energies to supplying the musical needs of the nation—of the whole world. From a gigantic bee-hive of war-time activities, the Victor plant again resumes as the greatest musical industry in the entire world.

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Los Angeles is falling down. WHY—? The rich and prosperous of Los Angeles are refusing to do their duty.

Through the dying Armenians and Syrians the King of Pity and of Love is calling to you—to minister to them just as you would do if you saw Him at your feet—You are guilty of not heeding the call.

You, to whom the Holidays just past, have meant a time of reunion, feasting and happiness. You, whose homes are cozy and warm and whose children are well and happy, have ignored the suffering "Over There". THINK—of these Armenian and Syrian children—ONE OF WHOM IS STARVING TO DEATH EVERY TEN SECONDS NOW—their cries must reach your ears—the mother's prayer touch your hearts. Think of the millions depending on America and you for life.

Largest Individual Check Received Less Than $300

It is Los Angeles' God-given privilege to help feed the hungry from her great bounty and unlimited stores—it is your blessed duty assigned you by the President of the United States to help lift the head of fallen Armenia, to lend succor and aid and prove yourself to be a real human being. Are you going to let this city be called:

"The Piker City of America?"

The Armenian and Syrian Relief Committee is appealing for a minimum of $300,000 in Los Angeles with which we can save our quota of human lives "Over There." Compiled figures show only one-third of the amount has been raised. Is Los Angeles going to lie down and quit—save one-third of the Armenians and let two-thirds starve to death?

Must We Look to the Pennies of the Poor for Our Quota?

If Los Angeles fails to raise her small quota, it will be because the moneyed men and women of this city have not given what they should. It is up to you. Are you going to let the world and San Francisco say:

Have You Done Your Duty or Are You From Los Angeles?

The poor people of Los Angeles and outlying districts have done their share in this drive. WE cannot permit those in comfortable circumstances to ignore this appeal. The loyal men, women and children of Los Angeles ought to know who the financial slackers are and to what extent they have failed.

The Literary Digest sets a fine example and dispels doubt about misappropriations, January 18th, Page 35: "We feel this cause to be so worthy, this need to be so desperate, even though we made a liberal contribution less than a year ago, we are now subscribing $5000 to this new drive. We are doing this after having **convinced ourselves** by **careful investigation** extending over a number of days that these funds will be **wisely administered,** that this work is in most **capable hands** and that **every dollar** given will go for relief without the deduction of one cent for organization expenses."

We mean what we say—your apathy is criminal—these scenes of terrible and tragic suffering are in the very lands where Jesus walked with His Disciples; where He had compassion on the needy multitude and fed, healed and comforted them. Many of these awful sights are even in the very shadow of the Mount of Olives, where Christ said: "Suffer little-children to come unto me, and forbid them not, for of such is the Kingdom of Heaven."

Copy of a letter now being sent to the business men of Los Angeles by Judge H. N. Wells:

The city of Los Angeles has fallen down in the Armenian-Syrian Relief Drive. The other large cities of the United States have gone over the top. The other cities in Southern California have gone over the top. If Southern California fails in this drive, it will be the failure of the city of Los Angeles.

We have raised only about one-third of our quota. The bulk of even this money must be credited to the country towns of Southern California. We are falling down because our people have not done their duty. Can we permit the city of Los Angeles to be recorded as having failed to respond to this appeal?

I am placing the matter squarely before you in the confidence that you will not only feel impelled to answer the pitiful appeal of Armenia, but will also appreciate the significant effect of your contribution upon the city of Los Angeles.

Send your contribution quickly and so bring new life and a new hope to some weary, broken body in Armenia or Syria. There is no excuse for you—we know everyone can give something—we know many of you can give much. They die while you hesitate.

Mail your check. Call us by phone. Upon request we will send an automobile after your offering.

Anonymous letter received by Judge H. N. Wells, Campaign Manager for Armenian and Syrian Relief:

"Efforts made in behalf of Armenians and other sufferers are certainly very commendable and I will gladly contribute liberally **when** like efforts are made in behalf of the suffering Germans, Austrians, and not to forget our own people, who are innocent and likewise helpless."

(The guy who wrote the above letter is evidently still suffering from a shot of German propaganda. He certainly is not a real "he" man, nor is he a genuine American.)

Are these your sentiments?

The Armenian and Syrian Relief Committee

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INFLUENZA RUNS INTO NEURASTHENIA IN MANY CASES

Nerves Following an Attack of Grip Must Be Built Up by the Tonic Treatment Before Health Can Be Restored

...demic of influenza that ...this country has left in its ...ons who have recovered ...e acute attack but remain ...ble as a result of the con... which the disease left ...Neurasthenia is one of the ...ther after-effects of influ... is responsible for a large ...s of deaths resulting from ...ia. In children influenza ...n develops spinal menin... ...ninety people chronic bron... and rheumatism often follow ...d nearly every victim ...grips has some form of ...ache or nervous debility. ...ch is neurasthenia an ...ms of the grip and influenza ...ndreds have given this stub... ...ck of nervous trouble the ...name of "post-grippal neurasthenia," ...ther nervous prostration follow... ...grip. One distinguished ...on nervous conditions says ...rly speaking, every victim ...grip will suffer from post-... ...neurasthenia who. Lower... ...nervous tone with increased ...ility of the nerves is the most ...ressing of the disease. Lan... ...mind and body often de... ...ed, tired feeling, disturbed ...ep and vague pains in ...not elsewhere are com... ...nothing is caused by under... ...nerves. It calls for rest ...e of a non-alcoholic tonic. ...ment is brought on in ...by fight of rest and sleep, ...and anxiety and many peo... ...have cured for the sick ...epidemic find themselves ...from it although they have ...the infection itself.

Tanlac Recommended

...most successful treatment for ...ness and for the debility ...generally follows an attack ...grip or influenza is the use ...tonic that will build up the ...and enable it to carry proper ...food to the starved nerves ...ers in the following state...

...Cruikshank of No. 517 ...Sunday street, Waterloo, ...at regain her health after ...of the grip until she tried ...c. She says:

"I felt me without any vi... ...ver. I was weak and ...had no ambition and was ...to down. I had no color ...face but was wasted away to a ...ow of my former self. I ...ed in weight from 125 to ...s. My appetite was poor ...frequently confined to bed ...or three days or more. ...friends said that my blood ...impoverished and my friends ...I was going into consump... ...and took sick for some time ...finally decided to try Dr. ...Pills. I found them ...just for my case and after ...few boxes I was fully re... ...had regained my nor... ...It gives me great ...to recommend Dr. Wil... ...Pills."

Overcomes Weakness

...H. Dale, of No. 3714 Grand ...Bronx, N. Y., was one of ...friends who succumbed to ...Spanish influenza last November. She says:

"I suffered a severe attack of Spanish influenza in the early part of November of last year and when I was pronounced cured and was able to leave my bed I seemed to have no strength left in my body. I had no appetite and couldn't sleep. There were periods of extreme nervousness and I had heart spells during which I had sensations of smothering.

"When I was a girl thirteen years old my mother had given me Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to build up my thin blood and restore my color. The results of the treatment at that time made such an impression on me that I determined to try them to overcome my weakness following the influenza attack. Within a week after I started the treatment with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills I began to regain my strength and to enjoy my food. I am no longer nervous and my heart is again normal. I take pleasure in recommending Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to my friends for I am sure they are invaluable following attacks of influenza."

Narrowly Escaped Pneumonia

An attack of the grip verging close on pneumonia left Mr. Howard S. Myers, of No. 111 West Grand street, Elizabeth, N. J., so badly run down that he was unable to work steadily and was in almost constant pain.

"I had a dull pain across my back," Mr. Myers says, "and I was always tired. My kidneys were affected and I had no appetite and I was nervous at all times. I couldn't sleep well and would get up in the morning tired out and depressed.

"An article in a newspaper led me to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a trial. Within three weeks I noticed a change. I began to pick up, my color was good and I continued taking the pills for three months. Today my appetite is restored and my nerves are quieter. I am able to work every day.

"I think it the duty of any one who has received the great benefit I have from a remedy to recommend it. I would use nothing else as a tonic."

Rheumatism Follows Grip

Mrs. N. A. Harwood of No. 72 Warren avenue, Malden, Mass., suffered for over a year from after-effects of the grip before she found a remedy that restored her health.

"My condition was very serious," she says. "I was all run down and completely worn out. My system was a wreck and I was so weak that recovery seemed impossible. Rheumatism due to my impure and thin blood followed. My appetite was poor and I lost flesh.

"Finally I recalled having used Dr. Williams' Pink Pills years ago and decided to take them again. After using the first box I could see an improvement and took eight boxes with much benefit. My strength returned and I feel good now. I have great faith in Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and have recommended them to others. I also took Pinklets, the laxative pill, and think they are fine."

Nerves Were Unstrung.

Mrs. Lydia Abel, of No. 36 East Boundary avenue, York, Pa., found that Dr. Williams' Pink Pills effectively checked the debilitating after-affects of influenza. She says:

"I had a severe attack of influenza and for a time my doctor thought I was going into pneumonia. The illness left me very weak and run down and nothing seemed to have the power to restore my lost strength. It was almost impossible for me to do my work. I tired so easily. My face was without color and all food tasted alike and I had no appetite for any of it. My nerves were unstrung and sick headaches became frequent.

"An article in a newspaper led me to give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a trial and in two weeks I could see that my color had improved. The immediate results were so good that I kept up the treatment according to the printed directions for a period of six weeks and they made me as strong as I had been before the attack of influenza. I always keep Dr. Williams' Pink Pills on hand now and use them as a builder every time my blood loses tone. I have recommended the treatment to many friends who have been weakened by severe attacks of influenza and they are as enthusiastic over the merits of the treatment as I am."

Had Headaches Constantly

To rebuild the blood, to strengthen the weakened nerves and to get back the lost flesh and strength is the problem of the victim of an attack of influenza. How Mr. Charles Darling of No. 14 Week street, Bath, Me., accomplished this is best told in his own words.

"My doctor treated me successfully for the grip," he says, "but he did not seem to help the after-effects of the disease. I had headaches nearly all the time, my strength was nearly spent and I often had to lie down and rest. I was pale and lost in weight and had a dull, languid feeling most of the time. My blood was very thin and poor and my stomach troubled me.

"One day I got a box of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills at the drug store and after taking them for about a week I noticed my health was better. My headache was relieved and I was getting stronger. I have a better appetite and can eat anything I want. I no longer have that tired feeling, my color is normal and I am gaining in flesh."

Grip Victims Need a Tonic

The debility that invariably follows influenza is not a disease of any one organ. It is a general condition of unfitness. It must be met by a remedy whose good results will be quickly generalized throughout the entire system. In fact it must be corrected by building up the blood which, when rich and red, carries renewed health and strength to every part of the body.

Our booklet, "Building Up the Blood," contains a chapter on after-effects of the grip which will interest every one who has been a victim of the epidemic. A copy will be sent free to any address on request by the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by your own druggist or will be sent by mail, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box, six boxes for $2.50. Do not pay more.

Break a Cold
In Few Hours

Dose of "Pape's Cold Compound" relieves the cold and grippe misery—Don't stay stuffed up!

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Don't stay stuffed up. Quit blowing and snuffling! Ease your throbbing head! Nothing else in the world gives such prompt relief as "Pape's Cold Compound," which costs only a few cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice, causes no inconvenience. Be sure you get the genuine.

URGES STATE GUARDS GET ARMY EQUIPMENT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—Brig.-Gen. John W. Heavey, acting chief of the militia bureau, recommended to the House Military Affairs Committee today that a rider be included in the army appropriation bill authorizing the Secretary of War to turn over to the National Guard from the surplus supplies of the regular army equipment valued at $135,000,000.

Gen. Heavey said the General Staff was in favor of transferring the supplies but was without authority.

Gen. Heavey urged that the National Guard be maintained in the same form as it was before the United States entered the war and that the increases in its strength authorized by the act of June 3, 1916, be carried out.

"The value to the country during the war of the National Guardsmen cannot be over-estimated," he said.

"The militia bureau advocates universal military training, but believes it should be carried out in connection with the National Guard."

FAMINE RELIEF GAINS SUPPORT.

Opponents Admit Defeat, Predict Passage Today.

Sherman Calls Measure Wilson Campaign Fund.

Hitchcock Leads Debate Favoring Adoption.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—Passage tomorrow of the administration bill for food relief in Europe was predicted tonight by leading advocates and opponents after another day of debate which proceeded with only a few members in their seats. Very few speeches are expected tomorrow and polls taken by leaders today were said to have shown only about twenty votes in opposition to the measure.

The bipartisan support for the bill was further indicated today. Speakers urging passage of the measure included Senator Hitchcock of Nebraska, Democrat, chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee, and Senators Smoot of Utah and Kellogg of Minnesota, Republicans. Principal opponents in the day's debate were Senators Cummins of Iowa and Sherman of Illinois, Republicans.

Declaring that the proposed appropriation was not for charity, Senator Hitchcock urged the Senate to aid President Wilson and his work at the Peace Conference by voting the fund. Its rejection, he declared, would involve repudiation of America's representatives.

Food Administrator Hoover, who has been severely attacked by opponents of the bill, was highly praised by Senator Hitchcock, and also by Senator Smoot. The Nebraska Senator said attacks on Mr. Hoover were "stabs in the back," and he joined Senator Smoot in commending the Food Administration's work in fixing live stock and meat prices, declaring both consumers and producers had been protected.

"No man in the United States has rendered greater service than Mr. Hoover," said Mr. Hitchcock in conclusion. "It is outrageous to make these attacks in his absence, attacks which reflect on his honor and character."

FEARS POLICY.

Senator Cummins in opposing the bill, declared that it commits the American government to a policy of internationalism and guardianship of European nations, while Senator Sherman asserted that part of the money would be used to feed RUSSIAN BOLSHEVISTS.

Complete elimination of Germany as a military factor in the world was advocated by Senator Cummins, who argued that with Germany impotent to attack any nation, a league of nations would be unnecessary. He said Germany should be denied an army or navy and be required to pay indemnities for the ruin wrought by her forces on land, on the sea and in the air.

Senator Cummins declared that President Wilson's plan called for establishment of new sovereignties to encircle the old domain of Germany and that the money was to be used to carry out that idea. Such a programme, he said, would require United States to enter into an agreement with larger European nations to guarantee the safety of those nations. Such a guarantee should be for Great Britain, France and Italy, he said. Instead of endeavoring to alleviate the situation in Europe, Senator Cummins said that the attention of the President should be turned to conditions in the United States.

Referring to price fixing, the Iowa Senator said that when the Food Administration fixed the price on hogs he had no doubt that it carried an understanding that the packers would be allowed to sell their products at a profit.

CALLS IT CAMPAIGN FUND.

Senator Sherman declared the proposed appropriation was not a relief fund, but "a campaign fund," and he referred to President Wilson as a "knight errant" in Europe "fighting windmills."

The Illinois Senator said the agreement on a Russian policy reached at Paris proposed recognition of the Bolshevik government and in this connection he inveighed against Socialist propaganda, which, he said, was being forwarded by professors in nearly every American college. Denouncing these professors as "firebrands of sedition," Senator Sherman said some men of their type were attached to the American peace mission.

Senator Penrose of Pennsylvania presented a telegram from C. H. Canby, who, he said, was a prominent Chicago grain broker, stating that it was rumored the Food Administration had spent $30,000,000 of the appropriation proposed in the bill, in anticipation of its passage, and in violation of law.

Senator Smoot of Utah, Republican, indicated he was inclined to support the measure. He praised the services rendered by Mr. Hoover in making the meat packers pay 18½ cents a pound for hogs, at the same time restricting their profits to 9 per cent., and their turnover to 2¼ per cent. The packers' big profits, Senator Smoot said, resulted from their enormous business.

Senator Borah took exception to the statement that profits had been limited to 9 per cent., and said that applied to one line of the industry only, "while other branches were left untrammeled," and showed profits as high as 40 per cent.

"I don't believe Mr. Hoover did wrong in controlling the packers," said Mr. Smoot. "If he had not no one can tell where prices would have gone."

ENEMY ALIENS INTERNED 4020.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—Four thousand and twenty enemy aliens were interned by the United States during the war, the Department of Justice today informed the House Immigration Committee, which is considering a bill authorizing the deportation of these persons. Twenty-two hundred of them were merchant seamen.

SAMOAN FLU CASES SUBSIDE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—A dispatch to the State Department from Apia says the epidemic of influenza, which caused more than 3000 deaths among the natives of the Samoan Islands, has about subsided.

SOUTHLAND CASUALTIES.

REDONDO BEACH, Jan. 23.—Everett Lewis, one of the first boys drafted from this city, was killed in action in France shortly before the signing of the armistice, according to a letter received by George Gehr of Gardena. The letter, which was written by Lewis's mother from Missouri, stated that her son was killed while going "over the top" his second time. Lewis was 26 years old, and worked as a carpenter before entering the army. He received his training at Camp Lewis.

SANTA MONICA BEACH, Jan. 23.—Mrs. Clara W. Mikelson of No. 1252 Eleventh street has received word of the death of her brother, Lieut. Howard Sawyer. He died in a hospital in France. He was in the chemical department and passed through several gas attacks only to succumb to pneumonia.

REPORTER IS ACCUSED OF BANK PROPAGANDA.

COMPTROLLER OF CURRENCY REVEALS MEMORANDA OF PLAN WRITER OFFERED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—Comptroller of the Currency Williams today gave out a statement charging an unnamed Washington correspondent for a Buffalo newspaper with promoting propaganda against the renomination of Williams when his term expires February 2.

This correspondent, said the comptroller, supplied material for articles criticising the comptroller to the New York Tribune, Wall-street Journal and papers in Boston and Louisville and elsewhere.

Williams made public the text of a memorandum which, he said, this correspondent had written for a banker whose institution had been under criticism by the comptroller's office for "unlawful practices," outlining a plan for a campaign of publicity against the renomination of Williams.

Norborne T. N. Robinson, Washington correspondent of the Buffalo Evening News, who said he was the correspondent to whom Williams referred, issued a statement tonight denying that he had sought "participation in publicity against Williams," and charging that the comptroller had used his official position to obtain information which he was using to "further his personal ends."

STATES TO BE ALL AMERICAN.

Three Enter 100 Per Cent. Citizen Campaign.

Colorado Joins Michigan and Wisconsin Race.

Universities and Schools Assist Patriotic Drive.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—Two States, Wisconsin and Colorado, the Department of Labor announced today, have followed Michigan in taking up 100 per cent. Americanization campaigns, intending to devote their energies to induce every foreign-born permanent resident to become naturalized.

"Wisconsin," the information and education service of the Labor Department says, "was brought into line for the Americanization work of the Bureau of Naturalization, Department of Labor, through a conference in Chicago at which officials of the bureau met Prof. Lescohier of the University of Wisconsin.

"Sheboygan, Wis., was the second city in the country to pledge itself to 100 per cent. Americanism, Flint, Mich., having been the first. Sheboygan and Racine, Wis., are now being given special attention by the University of Wisconsin, the public schools and the Bureau of Naturalization, and the Americanization campaigns there are being watched with a view toward the development of campaigns elsewhere.

"The increased interest in the naturalization classes in Wisconsin schools brought about by the campaign will, the officials of the bureau believe, afford an opportunity to try out the new text-books just prepared for free distribution among candidates for citizenship. Suggestions for the revision of the book will be worked out, if necessary, by the school officials, who are now using it.

"In Colorado the bureau has been assisted in carrying out its plan of 100 per cent. Americanization by the State University, of which Dr. Norlin is president."

REG FLAG WAVER CONVICTED.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 23. — William Bross Lloyd, millionaire and recently Socialist candidate for United States Senator, was today found guilty of waving the red flag by a jury in Judge Graham's court.

The technical charge was disorderly conduct. Judge Graham fined him $25 and costs. George Koop, who accompanied Lloyd on the day he was arrested, was fined $1, while Louis Wade, Lloyd's chauffeur, was found not guilty.

Attorneys for Lloyd and Koop immediately made a motion for a new trial. Arguments will be heard February 1.

Policeman W. H. Miller, who arrested Lloyd, asked Judge Graham what disposition should be made of the red flag, the literature and megaphone, and was told he was to hold the property until the final disposition of the case.

"What would you do with the flat if the property is confiscated?" he was asked.

"I would take it to the roof of the county building and burn it," replied Miller.

"And if you do attempt to burn my flag," broke in Lloyd with a smile, "I will try to prevent you. You know the police are very lawless and you can't tell what they will do next."

Lloyd, Wade and Koop were arrested November 29 when they drove up in an automobile bearing a red flag and the Star Spangled Banner and began distributing literature. At that time the feeling against the display of the red flag, which later resulted in the passing of an ordinance against it, was very strong.

Lloyd has been a subject of news items because of his radicalism for many years. He was a candidate last fall on the Socialist ticket for United States Senator and filed suit against the local postoffice for holding up his campaign literature. In one of his speeches he concluded with this appeal:

"The Bolsheviki are calling you. Do you hear their appeal? Do your part."

NAMES KERN SUPERVISOR.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 23.—J. B. McFarland of McFarland, Kern county, was appointed a member of the Kern county Board of Supervisors to represent the First District by Gov. Stephens today.

Chronic Constipation.

This disease is nearly always brought on by bad habits. To effect a permanent cure you must correct your habits. In the meantime take Chamberlain's Tablets. They are easy to take and most agreeable in effect. They only cost a quarter.—[Advertisement.

MIDDLE WEST NEWS IN BRIEF

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 23.—The Supreme Court of Missouri today heard the election contest suit to oust Presiding Judge Bugler of the Jackson county court. It will make a ruling in February. Judge Bugler is using every technicality in the law to prevent the ballot boxes being opened.

Firemen made a spectacular rescue of Miss Margaret Jamesson, No. 623 West Tenth street, in an early morning blaze here. She was taken from a third-story window by the firemen.

The Chamber of Commerce reported 173 new members taken in today. Five hundred and sixty-seven members have been added since Monday.

ST. LOUIS.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 23.—N. O. Nelson, St. Louis philanthropist, filed a petition in bankruptcy at New Orleans today. He listed liabilities as $412,447.

The eighth automobile fatality of the year occurred today when Arthur Lampe, 13 years old, was killed.

Representatives of Marcus Loew of New York today took an option on a downtown site upon which he plans to build a $1,000,000 theater soon.

Mrs. Francis R. Posey, wealthy society woman, in whose home at No. 4445 Lindell boulevard, H. E. White, ex-convict and safe-blower was mysteriously killed, January 5, was advised today by Chief of Police O'Brien not to make an attempt to reoccupy her home.

DES MOINES.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

DES MOINES, Jan. 23.—Business was completely tied up in Des Moines today for six hours when the main cable of the Des Moines Electric Company burned out. Newspapers were unable to publish until 2 p.m. All lights and elevators in office buildings were out of commission.

The Senate of the Thirty-eighth General Assembly, held an executive session today for the first time in the history of the State, the Senators investigating the action of Insurance Commissioner Taake in refusing to stop life insurance companies from charging a 10 per cent. surtax on war policies.

Demobilization of the Nineteenth Division at Camp Dodge will not be complete. A war department order has kept 1500 of the enlisted men in organizations.

MINNEAPOLIS.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 23.—Four trainloads of Minnesota soldiers from France rolled into Minneapolis today. They were returned men from the One Hundred and Twenty-fifth Infantry, originally the Third Regiment of the Minnesota National Guard. These men were mustered out at Camp Dodge yesterday.

Mayor Meyers today intimated that he will never sanction the Pillsbury-street railway valuation of $24,360,113.

Chief of Police Walker went before the grand jury following the announcement by the jury members that vice and crime are flourishing in the city.

CLEVELAND.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CLEVELAND, Jan. 23.—Dr. John H. Lowman, 70, who died in New York today of influenza, two days after he had returned from serving with a United States tuberculosis mission in Italy, had practiced medicine in Cleveland for more than forty years. He was known all over the country as an authority on diseases of the respiratory organs.

The will of Col. Louis Black, until his death several days ago head of the Balley company here, was probated today. He left an estate of $535,000 of which Mrs. Black gets $35,000 outright and an annuity of $5000. She also gets the family home.

County Prosecutor Doerfler was quizzed today by the City Councilmanic Committee which is making an investigation of tax criminal procedure here. A former law partner of the prosecutor and a former police prosecutor have been dragged into the investigation which officials hope will show why hundreds of criminals have never been brought to trial and why hundreds of bail bonds have been forfeited, but the forfeitures never collected.

INDIANAPOLIS.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 23.—Theda Bara may not be able to vamp quite so successfully and Annette Kellerman may be requested to drape herself in a little more substantial garment than that provided by nature if the proposed provision of the new motion-picture bill drafted today becomes a law in Indiana.

Three bills of Statewide interest were introduced in the House of Representatives today. They are: To abolish the Public Service Commission; to amend the workmen's compensation law making it compulsory on certain businesses and increasing the allowances to injured persons; to permit the Attorney-General of the State to go into any county and prosecute felonies if the prosecuting attorney fails to do so. These were included in thirteen bills which were started on their legislative course.

MILWAUKEE NEWS.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

MILWAUKEE, Jan. 23.—The Wisconsin Gun Company, headed by W. W. Coleman of the Bucyrus Company, built at a cost of $2,000,000 to turn out artillery, will be closed within six weeks, all contracts with the government having been cancelled.

Mayor Hoan today suspended the charges against Building Inspector Harper, accused of failing to make corporations erect sufficient fire escapes, conditional upon Harper's proper activity for the balance of his term, four months of which is unexpired.

An inch either way would have meant death, writes Capt. Arthur Mitten, son of the Philadelphia traction magnate, in a letter to Dr. C. H. Lemon, his father-in-law. This is the first word direct from Capt. Mitten since he was reported wounded early last year.

Judge Gregory set aside a jury verdict of $2400 to Clarence L. Van Wagner, who sued Dr. W. G. Doern because medicine given him by the physician made his skin turn blue. The court said the evidence was clear that the patient had violated the doctor's orders.

Real estate men threaten to stop building apartment houses if the city passes its proposed ordinance to make them keep rooms up to 70 deg. for sixteen hours per day.

The investigation of the so-called hand-picked car strike by the Legislature will open tomorrow. It is charged that the company fostered the strike to force a raise in car fare.

Capt. Michael F. Cudahy, back from France, advocates universal military training.

Anticipating a Great Lake ship business, a $5,000,000 company has been formed to build at Kewanee, with Paul E. Thomas president, and W. H. Gillen, general manager; Villter, Trostel, Allis and Upmeyer money was represented in the backers.

Milwaukee expects to spend $6,000,000 on public improvements this year, Public Works Commissioner Braman reported to Washington.

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When your child suffers from cold don't wait; give the little stomach, liver and bowels a gentle, thorough cleansing at once. When cross, peevish, listless, pale, doesn't sleep, eat or act naturally; if breath is bad, stomach sour, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the clogged-up, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food will gently move out of the bowels, and you have a well, playful child again.

If your child coughs, snuffles and has caught cold or is feverish or has a sore throat give a good dose of "California Syrup of Figs" to evacuate the bowels, no difference what other treatment is given.

Sick children needn't be coaxed to take this harmless "fruit laxative." Millions of mothers keep it handy because they know its action on the stomach, liver and bowels is prompt and sure. They also know a little given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which contains directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups plainly on the bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. Get the genuine, made by "California Fig Syrup Company."

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William Carrick, for many years a resident of Tacoma, Wash., is now a citizen of Hunter, Mo. While en route to his future home in Hunter, recently, Mr. Carrick purchased two bottles of Tanlac and made a statement regarding his experience with the medicine that will be of interest to all suffering people.

"I have never seen anything," said Mr. Carrick, "sell like Tanlac is selling out on the Pacific Coast, around where I lived. A friend of mine actually went seventy-five miles one day to get a bottle and knowing what I do about it now, I believe I would do the same thing, rather than be without it. When I first started taking it I had little idea it would do me any good, but when I tell you I have gained sixteen pounds in less than thirty days and am able to work for the first time in months, you can understand why I talk like I do about it.

"Something like a year ago my appetite went back on me and my stomach got in such a bad fix that nothing I would eat seemed to do me any good. My food would sour soon after meals and keep me belching up sour gas for hours. I suffered terrible pain about my stomach all the time and at times I would turn so deathly sick that I could hardly retain a thing I had eaten. I dropped off twenty-seven pounds in weight and hardly had strength to raise my hands, and was so nervous for almost six weeks that I hardly slept at all. I finally got down flat on my back in bed—couldn't take a bit of nourishment, except a little milk—and for five weeks I thought sure I would never pull through.

"I was stopping with my nephew in Tacoma at this time, and as he had seen Tanlac recommended so highly he went down and got a bottle for me. Well, sir, by the time I finished my first bottle I was on my feet and feeling like a different man. My appetite picked up right away and I soon got so I couldn't get enough to eat, and ever since I finished my second bottle I have been feeling strong and fine as you please. The sourness, gas and pain has left my stomach entirely and nothing is barred from my diet. It was about the close of spring when Tanlac straightened me up and I worked every day this summer at my trade as carpenter, and have felt fine all the time. I don't believe I ever enjoyed better health than I do now. I have personally recommended Tanlac to hundreds of people and as I was passing through here today, I stopped in to get two bottles to carry down to Hunter with me, because I don't want to be without it."

Tanlac is sold in Los Angeles, Pasadena and San Diego by the Owl Drug Company under the personal direction of a special Tanlac representative.—[Advertisement.

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HUDSON, SEDAN, '19.
BUICK TOUR., '19.
BUICK 6 TR., '16 & '17.
PAC. AUTO EXCH. 432 W. PICO.

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1917 HUDSON SUPER SEDAN.

Fine condition, $1800 cash.
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ALMOST NEW LIGHT 7-PASSENGER, EXCELLENT CONDITION THROUGHOUT; EASY RIDING, POWERFUL, ECONOMICAL. A CAR YOU WOULD BE PROUD TO OWN. GUARANTEED BATTERY, FULLY EQUIPPED.
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This car has a delivery body and in exceptionally good mechanical condition; tires are good, and for the price we are asking cannot be beat; price $290, $100 down, balance
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BUICK 6 TOUR., '16.
SUPER HUDSON SEDAN.
PAC. AUTO EXCH. 432 W. PICO.

FOR SALE — STEARNS-KNIGHT, EIGHT-CYLINder, 7-passenger, thoroughly done over, newly painted, cord tires, etc. A fine car at the right price.
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DO YOU WISH TO BUY? WE GIVE TERMS.
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FORD ROADSTER, IN PERFECT CONDITION, just 3 months, $50 down, bal. 12 months. MORAN & M'MENAMY, 1424 S. Main.

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FORD ROADSTER, EXTRA DELIVERY BODY, cord tires, speedometer, new rear axle and coils. 1917 block. Call 941 S. UNION.

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BUICK, 50-UPTER, C-36, LIKE NEW; CONDItion A1 in every respect. MR. ALLSTEAD, 6403 Broadway. Phone 61294.

1917 BUICK SIX TOURING CAR, LOOKS like new, cord tires, $1000 cash. 1416 W. 11TH. Broadway 5055.

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Big bargain, to private party. Call 288194.

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1917 FORD TOURING, GOOD CONDITION, MANY extras, $300 cash. WEST 342.

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Caledonian Society will observe anniversary of the birth of Robert Burns with a special programme tonight in Blanchard Hall.

South Dakota Society meets at 8 o'clock p.m. in The Times Assembly Hall.

Rotary Club will have Robert Bosworth as its principal speaker at its luncheon today in Christopher's banquet hall.

Easton Post and Corps will hold a joint meeting tonight in Patriotic Hall.

Los Angeles Community Chorus will meet tonight at 8 o'clock at Symphony Hall, No. 233 South Hill street.

AMUSEMENTS.

Elsinore—"The Fall of Babylon."
Mason—"You're in Love."
Orpheum—"Cannibals of the South Seas."
California—"The Border Wireless."
Superba—"The Wild Cat of Paris."
Garrick—"The Vanity Pool."
Tally's—"The Road Through the Dark."
Orpheum—Vaudeville.
Clune's Broadway—"Bonds of Honor."
Victory—"Fair Enough."
Morosco—"Lee or No."
Alhambra—"The Light of the Western Stars."
Ray's Garden—"The She Devil."
Symphony—"Rosed."
Pantages—Vaudeville.
Quinn's Rialto—"The Turn in the Road."
Palace—"The Snare Man."
Hippodrome—Vaudeville.
Theater de Love—"Hugan the Mighty."

THE CITY
AND ENVIRONS.

In Patriotic Hall.

Stanton Post and Corps will have a joint meeting this evening in Patriotic Hall.

Chorus to Meet.

The Los Angeles Community Chorus will meet this evening at Symphony Hall, No. 233 South Hill street. The singing will begin at 8 o'clock.

Maple Leaf Club.

The Canadian Maple Leaf Club of Los Angeles will give an entertainment at the Gamut Club, No. 1044 South Hope street, tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. There will be a literary programme and dancing, and refreshments will be served.

Past Masters to Meet.

Members of the Southern California Past Masters' Association will make merry, Saturday evening, at No. 741 South Broadway. Collin's jazz band will furnish the instrumental music. Surprise features will be the order of the evening. After the dinner, the annual meeting of the association will be held at the Masonic Temple, Pico and Figueroa streets, and initiation of a large class of candidates of the newly-elected Masters of Masonic Lodges will take place. The organization is composed of Masters and Past Masters of Masonic lodges throughout Southern California. The officers are: Irving J. Mitchell, president; Charles H. Ritchie, vice-president; Motley H. Flint, treasurer, and Charles H. Bridges, secretary.

COOKING LECTURES ATTRACT HOUSEWIVES.

HAMBURGER'S HAS TO ADD TO AUDITORIUM SPACE DUE OF BIG ATTENDANCE.

By Olive Gray.

To prepare dishes not only economical but extremely nourishing and delicious as well from meats usually wasted, is the theme engaging the attention of Chef Wyman, who is lecturing just now at Hamburger's.

That Los Angeles home-keepers are interested has been proven by the fact that since the lectures began, ten days or so ago, the auditorium space has three times been increased and still there is no room to spare.

Chef Wyman is well known to Los Angeles women, and well liked. After hearing his talks and watching his movements, and his manner of compounding dishes, the listener can go home and do likewise. If, jestingly, he does a bit of advertising, he always represents the latest and the best of products. The most approved of gas and electric ranges perform marvelous feats under his clever hands, the most convenient of utensils find a place upon his tables and shelves, and in fact, to listen to a course of Wyman lectures, and to closely observe the achievements of the Wyman family, is to receive new inspiration for the cuisine. Many novel recipes are given from time to time, all practical and many extremely interesting, gathered as they have been during Chef Wyman's travels in many foreign countries.

The pure food show, which is in progress also at Hamburger's, lends still further interest to the subject of the home, many of the products shown being included in the menus presented from day to day at the cooking lectures. Both the food show and lectures on cookery will continue throughout another week.

FUNERAL OF MRS. SMITH.

The funeral of Mrs. Helen B. Smith, wife of Harry A. Smith, who died at Monrovia, was held yesterday from the home of her sister, Mrs. Mary R. Shewell, No. 3440 Sabina street, with services at the Church of Our Lady of Lourdes. Burial was in Calvary Cemetery. Mrs. Smith was 32 years old. Besides her husband she leaves an infant daughter, Margaret, a father, A. G. Smith; two sisters, Mrs. Mary R. Shewell and Mrs. Frances Hirshkind, and four brothers, J. D., D. J., Anton F. Smith, with the American Expeditionary Forces in France, and Leonard Fortune Smith.

PHONE RULE HALTED.

Railroad Commission Issues Order Hearing on Southland Rates.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 23.—The State Railroad Commission issued an order today instructing the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company to refrain from putting into effect a rule which would eliminate free toll services between Santa Ana and Tustin and Placentia and Fullerton, and way points.

Another order issued by the commission directed the company not to put into effect a rate schedule which becomes effective on February 1, and which, the commission contends, will deprive the residents of Glendale, Burbank, Lankershim and other communities of free toll privileges which heretofore have been in effect.

The commission ordered that matters, in both instances, be left as they are until further investigation can be made.

HEADS AIR SERVICE.

Col. Henry H. Arnold to have Charge of California District.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN DIEGO, Jan. 23.—Col. Henry H. Arnold, one of America's oldest aviators in point of service, has arrived here from the East to become military aeronautical officer for the California district. He will maintain offices at Coronado for himself and staff. He will have jurisdiction over Rockwell, Ream and East fields in San Diego, Mather Field at Sacramento, and March Field at Riverside, and also the balloon field at Arcadia.

At the start of the war Col. Arnold was made assistant director of military aeronautics at Washington. At his request, he was sent to France and was appointed aeronautical liaison officer to serve between the United States and French troops.

Wilson Sends Regrets to Brazil.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—President Wilson, at Paris, has sent a message to the Brazilian government expressing his deep regret at the death of President Alves.

HOT TEA BREAKS A COLD—TRY THIS.

Get a small package of Hamburg Breast Tea at any pharmacy. Take a tablespoonful of this hamburg tea, put a cup of boiling water upon it, pour through a sieve and drink a teacupful at any time. It is the most effective way to break a cold and cure grip, as it opens the pores, relieving congestion. Also loosens the bowels, thus breaking a cold at once.

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MONDAY, JAN. 27—9:30 A.M.

6-Room cottage, lot 50x140. Also furniture of same by the piece.

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AUCTION EXTRAORDINARY

4530 W. Washington St.

MONDAY, JAN. 27—1 P.M.

Magnificent furniture. Lot fine Stickley, mahogany and leather furniture; fine Wilton rugs. Also nearly new Overland 5-Pass. auto, new tires. Also 26 chickens, R. I. Reds. Full description Sunday papers.

AUCTION EXTRAORDINARY

2167 W. 20th St.

TUESDAY, JAN. 28—9:30 A.M.

12-room residence, lot 75x156. Also the elaborate furnishings of same by the piece. Everything high grade. Description Sunday papers.

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 29—9:30 A.M.

Magnificent high grade furniture 6-room flat.

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Description later.

THURSDAY, JAN. 30—2 P.M.

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See Tomorrow's TIMES for Tomorrow's Sale.

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THE WEATHER.

[Official Report.]

LOCAL OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Jan. 23.—[Reported by Ford A. Carpenter, Meteorologist.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.05; at 5 p.m., 29.90. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 60 deg. and 68 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 41 per cent.; 5 p.m., 45 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 11 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 4 miles. Highest temperature, 77 deg.; lowest, 56 deg. Rainfall for season, 4.15 inches; last season, .61 of an inch. Barometer reduced to sea level.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.—The barometer is steadily falling over the United States. The only field of high pressure of consequence is that covering Utah, Arizona and Colorado. Heavy rain fell in Oregon, Washington and Louisiana, the greatest amount, 2.06 inches, at Seattle. At that city a northerly gale reaching fifty-six miles per hour occurred last night. Off-shore winds, clear skies and moderate temperatures are reported from Southern California. These conditions will continue in Los Angeles and vicinity during the ensuing thirty-six hours.

ORCHARD REPORTS.—Minimum and maximum temperatures from the orchards reported yesterday to the U. S. Weather Bureau in Los Angeles, were as follows:

Stations—	Max.	Min.
Bakersfield	74	36
Tomits	76	34
Corona	79	44
El Cajon	80	34
Oceanside	79	40
Pasadena	74	42
Pomona	78	33
Redlands	82	46
Riverside	80	36
Santa Barbara	70	42
San Bernardino	79	37
San Fernando	78	43
Santa Ana	80	35

LOCAL FORECAST.

For Los Angeles and vicinity: Fair Friday.

STATE FORECAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 23.—Weather forecast for San Francisco and vicinity, Southern California, Sacramento, Santa Clara and San Joaquin valleys: Fair Friday; gentle westerly winds.

ARIZONA FORECAST.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—Forecast for Arizona: Fair Friday and Saturday; not much change in temperature.

TIDE TABLE.

	High.	Low.	High.	Low.
Friday, Jan. 24..	4.07	12:23	6:06	10:27
	5.0	1.2	7.0	2.7
Saturday, Jan. 25..	5:00	1:01	7:09	11:37
	5.2	0.7	8.4	3.6

NOTE.—Tides are shown in the order of their occurrence. The first line shows the time and the second line the height in feet. On some days there are but three tides, the fourth occurring on the following day, reversing the order of high and low tides.

COLORADO RIVER.

YUMA (Ariz.) Jan. 23. — [Exclusive Dispatch from the U. S. Reclamation Service.] Gauge height Colorado River, 14.8 feet.

TEMPERATURES.

	Max.	Min.		Max.	Min.
Abilene	58	54	North Head	48	32
Boise	60	48	Oklahoma	62	30
Buffalo	50	46	Omaha	52	30
Chicago	50	34	Phoenix	72	38
Denver	58	34	Pittsburgh	52	46
Des Moines	56	28	Portland, Or.	48	36
Dodge City	62	28	Rapid City	50	30
Eureka	54	44	Reno	52	28
Flagstaff	48	14	Roseburg	52	42
Helena	42	18	Roswell	66	24
Galveston	60	50	St. Louis	52	34
Havre	40	24	St. Paul	32	26
Helena	42	20	Sacramento	62	36
Huron	42	20	Salt Lake City	56	34
Independence			San Diego	70	52
Kamloops	36	—	San Francisco	58	46
Kansas City	40	30	St. Luis Obispo	68	38
Marquette	36	26	Seattle	48	34
Los Angeles	77	55	Spokane	42	30
Memphis	56	52	Tampa	78	62
Modena	58	30	Tonopah	52	36
Minneapolis	36	24	Walla Walla	46	32
Mt. Wilson	—	—	Winnemucca	56	34
Needles	72	56	Winnipeg	30	—
New Orleans	66	56	Yuma	74	44
New York	46	40			

VITAL RECORD.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued Yesterday. Name and age given.

BARNETT—MARVIN. James M. Barnett, 34; Ida Marvin, 28.

BAUMAN—BAUMAN. Joseph B. Bauman, 41; Cora L. Bauman, 39.

BERNAL—MOTELES. Fruendo Bernal, 35; Rosario Motles, 30.

CAPUANO — BRIGANTE. Crescenzo Capuano, 24; Concetta Brigante, 20.

DRUMMOND—MARCELLO. William A. Drummond, 32; Ruth Marcello, 24.

GARCIA—CONDINO. Antonio Garcia, 20; Prudencia Mendez, 20.

GODDING — WILSON. Clinton A. Godding, 33; Maude A. Wilson, 28.

KELLOGG — McBRIDE. George W. Kellogg, 58; Nellie D. McBride, 39.

PRESSER—AUSTIN. Harry A. Puller, 42; Jessie M. G. Austin, 38.

PORTER—BOOKE. Leon L. Porter, 29; Ida Booke, 19.

RANUEL — GUTIERREZ. Frederico Rangel, 24; Agapita Gutierrez, 22.

TARBIT — GILBERT. James Tarbit, 24; Mary E. Gilbert, 19.

WEINBURNT—PEARSON. Drusey L. Whisenhunt, 27; Alma Pearson, 24.

WOOD—ALVARADO. Willard V. Wood, 29; Louie Alvarado, 16.

BIRTHS.

Names, sex, place and date of birth.

BURKE, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick. Daughter. 2951 Manitou street, January 20.

CASE, Mr. and Mrs. William. Boy. 12114 Jefferson street, January 17.

DARWIN, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Daughter. Methodist Hospital, January 22.

DAVIDSON, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn. Boy. 3307 South Hobart avenue, January 19.

HINMAN, Mr. and Mrs. Max. Daughter. California Hospital, January 21.

ILLS, Mr. and Mrs. Charles. Boy. 12234 Forty-seventh street, January 21.

HAMPTON, Mr. and Mrs. George. Daughter. Good Samaritan Hospital, January 20.

HINTZMAN, Mr. and Mrs. Max. Daughter. California Hospital, January 18.

HOYT, Mr. and Mrs. Robert. Daughter. Angeles Hospital, January 21.

JACOBS, Mr. and Mrs. William. Daughter. California Hospital, January 20.

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BIRTHS.

Names, sex, place and date of birth.

JESSUP, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph. Daughter. Good Samaritan Hospital, January 20.

LOMAX, Mr. and Mrs. William. Boy. 4107 Cumberland avenue, January 21.

NELSON, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer. Daughter. Clara Barton Hospital, January 16.

PARKER, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse. Boy. 200 West Sixty-sixth street, January 16.

PHILLIPS, Mr. and Mrs. William. Boy. Angeles Hospital, January 21.

ROWAN, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn. Boy. 3519 Peralta street, January 19.

STEVENS, Mr. and Mrs. George. Daughter. 1071 East Thirty-second street, January 17.

THORSON, Mr. and Mrs. Michael. Boy. Methodist Hospital, January 21.

WILEY, Mr. and Mrs. Dana. Boy. Angeles Hospital, January 20.

DIVORCE SUITS FILED.

REDNEY, Lillian against Garfield.

BURNHAM, Lillian against Leslie.

GRAHAM, Margaret against James O.

GRUNDSTROM, Agnes against Charles G.

LENDER, May against Oscar.

MILLER, Etta against Benjamin.

RYAN, Edith against James.

SMITH, Thelma against Jesse E.

DIVORCE DECREES GRANTED.

GIBBS, Margaret from Clarence M.

Name and place of death—	Age.	Date.
ADAMS, Katherine. Los Angeles	61	Jan. 21
HENNAY, Clarence. Los Angeles	27	Jan. 21
HINGHAM, Johanna. Los Angeles	35	Jan. 21
KLEARNEY, Bess. Los Angeles	23	Jan. 21
NIELSON, Virginia from Arthur.		

OFFICIAL DEATH LIST.

BORNSTEIN, Edith. Los Angeles	19	Jan. 23
BROWN, Hattie. Los Angeles	39	Jan. 22
BUTZEL, Eleanor. Los Angeles	26	Jan. 22
COHEN, Rosie. Los Angeles	42	Jan. 21
CROCKER, Nina. Los Angeles	39	Jan. 21
HASLET, Burton. Los Angeles	39	Jan. 20
HILE, Thomas. Los Angeles	60	Jan. 22
HILIAN, Julius. Los Angeles	55	Jan. 18
LAIDLAW, Lillian. Los Angeles	21	Jan. 21
LANG, Fred. Los Angeles	33	Jan. 19
MAGNE, Carrol. Los Angeles	35	Jan. 21
NASH, Fannie. Los Angeles	56	Jan. 20
PFYFE, Sylvia. Los Angeles	53	Jan. 21
PRATHER, Francis. Los Angeles	30	Jan. 21
ROY, Elmer. Los Angeles	23	Jan. 21
SABIN, Viola. Los Angeles	32	Jan. 21
SCHNEIDERMAN, Morris. Los Angeles	58	Jan. 22
SEYMOUR, Mary. Los Angeles	29	Jan. 22
SHADFORD, Albert. Los Angeles	21	Jan. 21
TAYLOR, Herbert. Los Angeles	23	Jan. 21
THOMPSON, Hattie. Los Angeles	26	Jan. 21
WILKE, Owen. Los Angeles	54	Jan. 20

DEATHS.

With Funeral Announcements.

ADOLPHSON. The funeral of Oscar Adolphson will be held at Evans Brothers' chapel, 955 Figueroa, Saturday, at 10 a.m.

ANKETELL. In this city, January 23, Laura A. Anketell, beloved wife of A. Y. Anketell of La Mesa, No. D.

Funeral from chapel of Peck & Chase Co., 1213 South Figueroa, Saturday at 2 p.m.

BARKER. At Downey, Andrew Barker, aged 41 years.

Services today, 1 p.m., at Central Avenue Undertaking Co.'s rooms, 5050 Central avenue. McCormick & Coleman, funeral directors.

DENWAY. Passed away January 22, Clarence A. Denway, aged 26 years, beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Denway of 5857 Seventh avenue. Served six months in Engineer Corps at Camp Lewis, having been discharged because of ill health.

Funeral services Friday, 2 p.m., at the parlors of John R. Paul Co., 2620 North Broadway. Interment, Hollywood Cemetery.

BLOOMGREEN. January 23, Oscar Bloomgreen. Remains at parlors of W. A. Brown. Notice of funeral later.

BROWN. January 23, Mrs. M. L. Brown.

Remains at parlors of W. A. Brown. Notice of funeral later.

BYRON. January 23, Ellen Byron, known as Nellie Byron, beloved sister of Mrs. J. Adamson, aged 55 years.

Funeral, today at 8:30 a.m., from the chapel of Cunningham & O'Connor, Requiem mass at St. Mary's Church at 9 a.m. Interment private.

CLEARY. January 22, at Sierra Madre, Cal., John H. Cleary, Jr., beloved husband of Mabel E. and son of John H. Cleary, aged 41 years.

Funeral Saturday, January 25, at 8:30 a.m., from the chapel of Cunningham & O'Connor, 1031 South Grand avenue. Requiem mass at St. Patrick's Church at 9 a.m. Interment, Calvary Cemetery.

COTTERILL. At her late residence, 4216 Monte avenue, January 23, 1919, Ophelia Cotterill, aged 53 years, a native of Kentucky, dearly beloved wife of F. W. Cotterill.

Remains at the parlors of Utter & Rupps. Notice of funeral later.

CRABTREE. William J. Crabtree.

Remains at the chapel of W. H. Mutch.

CROOK. January 23, May Crook.

Remains at the chapel of W. H. Mutch.

CUMMINS. January 22, Milo B. Cummins of 742 Maple avenue.

Remains at parlors of Reed Bros. & Albin. Funeral notice later.

DAWSON. At 2525 West Eleventh street, Mrs. Gertrude Dawson, aged 49 years.

Remains at chapel of Ivy Overholtzer. Funeral notice later.

DE PAUW. At San Francisco, Cal., January 18, Cornelius Cyriel Alexander Marie de Pauw, a native of Holland, beloved husband of Mrs. Stella M. de Pauw.

Funeral services today, 2 p.m., from the funeral parlors of W. A. Brown, 1205 South Flower. Interment, Forest Lawn Cemetery.

ELY. January 21, 1919, Walter Ely, beloved husband of Clarice Ely.

Masonic funeral services will be held at Forest Lawn Cemetery, Saturday, January 25, at 10:30 o'clock a.m. Booths & Fitch, morticians.

FREEMAN. In this city, January 22, Sarah J. Freeman, mother of Mrs. F. W. Elder of Bloomington, Ill.

Funeral service at Brown Brothers' chapel, 955 Figueroa, Friday at 2 p.m.

HALL. At the home of his son, F. Verpea Hall, in La Crescenta, Cal., January 23, William Hall, aged 75 years.

Services will be held at the Little Church of the Flowers, Forest Lawn Cemetery, Saturday, January 25, at 2 p.m. Pierce Bros. & Co., directors.

HILL. January 23, Ethel, beloved wife of Grover Hill, aged 23 years.

Funeral announcement later by Garrett & Company.

HILL. At 1442 East Twenty-ninth street, January 21, Thomas W. Hill, aged 61 years.

Funeral, today at 2 p.m., from the chapel of Cunningham & O'Connor. Interment, Evergreen Cemetery.

HOLLY. The funeral services of Leo Melvin Holly, carpenter's mate, second class, U.S.N., who died at the Island of Guam, M. I., November 13, 1918, will be held at Pierce Brothers' chapel, 630 South Flower street, at 2 p.m., Saturday, January 25. Interment, Evergreen Cemetery.

KNOX. January 22, 1919, Annie F. Knox, beloved mother of Harry C. Knox.

Funeral from chapel of Booths & Fitch, corner Twelfth and Hope streets, this (Friday) afternoon at 2 o'clock.

LEAMAN. The funeral of A. Clifford Leaman will be held Friday, January 24, at 2 p.m., from chapel of Moses & Moses, 1265 South Flower.

The New York Tribune said D. W. Griffith's Fall of Babylon was the most marvelous thing ever put on the screen. Now at the Kinema

Cuticura Will Help Clear Pimples and Dandruff

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Don't wait to have pimples and blackheads, redness and roughness, dandruff and itching. Prevent them by making this wonderful skin-clearing complexion soap your every-day toilet soap, assisted by touches of Cuticura Ointment to the first signs of little skin and scalp troubles, and dustings of Cuticura Talcum, a fascinating fragrance. In delicate Cuticura medication The Cuticura Trio is wonderful. 25c each. Sample each free of "Cuticura, Boston."

The Gumps—There May be One Vacant Chair.

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Editorials—News—Business—Society—The Drama

The Los Angeles Times

Vol. XXXVIII. FRIDAY MORNING, JANUARY 24, 1919. —PART II: 8 PAGES. POPULATION { By the Federal Census—(1910)—319,198 By the City Director—(1918)—497,535.

...S PEACE IN INDUSTRY HERE.

...kers' - Manufacturers' ...Tells of Outlook.

...Good and Working Men ...to be Satisfied.

...Elects Officers for the Coming Year.

...Woodill of the firm of Wood-...Sons, re-elected president ...of the Merchants' and ...Association for a ..., predicts industrial ...Los Angeles during the ...year.

"...are good here and I think ...the working men are satis-...with the pay they are receiving," ..., in address at the annual ...meeting yesterday after-...in electrical lines, such as I ...ented in, we are paying ...der. The prosperity of the ...rests upon the fact that skilled ...men are getting good pay.

"...ness in the continuation of ...here in Los Angeles and ...California, although I am ...sympathy with some of the ...that unions have been mak-...local employers. There is ...for the spirit of give-and-...on both sides, if we are to re-...the country industrially dur-...the next twelve months and still ...industrial peace. I am for ..., you understand, but I ...it an hour."

Woodill expressed the belief ...ving cost will have to come ...wages can be reduced. ...believe the present stand-...wages in Southern California ...a reduction until the high ...living has been revised," he ...

...ing upon industrial un-...recently, Mr. Woodill re-..."Working men in the main ...decided at present and I hope ...long them satisfied and ...several times this year em-...have appeared before our ...and complained because ...are having trouble with their ...In a few cases we frankly ...to pay better wages ...the man shorter hours." ...Manufacturers' Association is planning to get be-...automobile dealers and as-...staging a road race and a ...from Los Angeles to San Francisco en-...route this summer. It also ...the activities along ...of keeping business "clean."

...one man employed con-...in ferreting out fake sales ...advertising.

...day's meeting the follow-...officers were re-elected for the ...Hon. H. B. Woodill, presi-...

(Continued on Third Page.)

SHE :: BIFFS :: GAY :: LOTHARIO.

Pretty Court Official Squelches a Flirt.

Miss May Allison.

Miss May Allison, trustee of the "Domestic Relations" and the Juvenile Courts, is the possessor of no little personal charm and amiability, in addition to a high degree of efficiency and ability, but it is likely to be some time before any other flirtatious male in the county employ undertakes to start anything with her.

One did—and the entire Hall of Records is by the ears in consequence. Yesterday the entire membership of the County Employees' Association was humming like a hive of angry bees over the incident, and an "official investigation" is even discussed.

As a matter of fact, there will probably be no investigation, for the matter was definitely and distinctly closed by Miss Allison herself. Acting upon the unofficial but earnest advice of no less a person than Judge Sidney Reeve, the doughty trustee met the second offense of the sort from the man in question with a mighty open-hand slap across the face, from which it is credibly stated his ears are ringing yet.

Miss Allison is naturally reluctant to discuss the matter at all, although she admits the slapping. The accused man, who has a wife and children, will make only denials of the whole affair. There were no witnesses. So far as could be ascertained yesterday, his first alleged advances were made to Miss Allison when she went to consult him on official business. She made it entirely clear to him that the attentions were distasteful in the extreme, but he did not take the hint. After it had happened again she spoke to Judge Reeve about it.

That able jurist, who has two fists of his own and a chivalrous regard for women, advised that the matter be reported to the offender's superior officer, and then, if it happened again, to "let him have it."

It happened again. Whereat Miss Allison, who is small of person but by no means feeble of arm, "let him have it" with her open palm and with 115 pounds behind the slap. Then she marched out of the office and has never re-entered it.

But the matter did not end there. Miss Allison reported the matter to George S. Strait, president of the County Employees' Association. He referred the matter to Miss Carlin, the secretary, who took the position that semi-official hugging was not the subject for the association to investigate, and resigned the secretaryship. A new secretary was elected, and the matter is scheduled to come up February 6, at the next meeting of the association.

The man in the case flatly declined to appear before members of the executive committee of the association. He sent a letter.

The by-laws of the association provide that when any member is accused of conduct unbecoming a gentleman or a lady, he may be dismissed from the association after a hearing by the members present at the meeting at which the matter comes up.

SHORT OF CHANGE.

Max Socha Didn't Have Three Dollars to Pay His Fine.

Max Socha, formerly editor of the Germania, a German-language newspaper here, didn't have $3 in his pocket yesterday to pay his fine for violating the State automobile registration law. He appeared at the desk sergeant's office at Central Station with a tag that had been tied on his machine by Officer Hagenbaugh on South Main street, and was asked if he cared to appear in court.

"No, no!" he said.

"Three dollars, then," said the desk sergeant.

Socha dug vainly through his pockets.

"Wait," he said, "I'll be back."

Three-quarters of an hour later he returned with the required fine.

FIRST OF ROSS SUITS IS FILED.

Victim of Tar and Feathers Asks Large Damages.

Brawley Newspaper Leads in List of Defendants.

Bee Man Would Also Oust the Police Commissioner.

The first of a series of suits prepared here by Attorney Emmet H. J. Edgar Ross, apiarist, of Brawley against more than two score of prominent Imperial Valley citizens as the result of the tar and feathering of Mr. Ross in Brawley during the Liberty Loan campaign there last October, was filed yesterday in El Centro.

The suit is to recover $60,000 damages for alleged "defamatory, malicious, scandalous and unprincipled statements" published by the Brawley News, according to the complaint, and names M. D. Witter proprietor and B. F. Morris, assistant editor of the News. Three counts are included in the complaint, which was filed by Attorney Wilson. These set up that the News published on October 3, the day of the tarring and feathering, an editorial entitled, "Sharp Medicine for the Disloyal Citizen." Although Mr. Ross's name was not mentioned the complaint alleges that the article was libelous and was known to refer to his case. The complaint also alleges that on October 18 the News published another editorial, "United Expression of Community Sentiment," which Mr. Ross says was intended to hold him up to ridicule. The newspaper is also accused of publishing on October 19 an article stating that Mr. Ross's bondsmen had asked to be released by the court. The filing of the suit against the newspaper is a sequel to various exciting incidents that have followed the attack on Mr. Ross for alleged failure to buy Liberty Bonds.

Mr. Ross also filed suit asking the court to remove from office W. A. Covington, Police Commissioner of Brawley, whom he charges with neglecting to perform his official duties.

Ross was tarred and feathered in the heat of the campaign for Liberty Loan subscriptions. After several hours in the hands of a mob, and after being chained to a tree in a public park of Brawley with signs pointing him out as an unpatriotic citizen, Mr. Ross alleged, he was put on a truck and driven around town and to El Centro, where he was placed in jail. These acts, Mr. Ross declared, form the basis of the several suits to be filed against persons charged by him with conspiracy to the demonstration.

The suits were prepared in Los Angeles, and originally were planned to be brought in the Los Angeles county courts. Later, for legal reasons, it was decided to take the first, and probably the following actions, into the Imperial county courts.

ANGELENO IS NAMED FOR WORK IN SPAIN.

WILL INVESTIGATE TRADE POSSIBILITIES FOR AMERICAN GOVERNMENT.

Dr. Arthur N. Young, son of Rev. William S. Young, superintendent of the Hollenbeck Home, has been appointed special commissioner of the United States bureau of foreign and domestic commerce of the Department of Commerce and Labor to investigate financial conditions in Spain. Dr. Young is a Los Angeles man, a graduate of Occidental College, and has been for several years an instructor at Princeton University.

Dr. Young's report on the financial conditions in the Federal district of Mexico, made to the Commission for the Reorganization of the Financial Administration, established by American friends of Mexico, created great interest and led to his appointment to make a similar investigation in Spain for the United States government. Dr. Young found in Mexico that in the Federal or metropolitan district, including Mexico City, school teachers' and policemen's salaries, for example, were long in arrears, that the people were taxed the most heavily in the history of the country and that the entire financial affairs of the district and the government presented a serious problem. He recommended that the district be placed on the same financial basis as existed in 1910-1911, before the revolution, believing that the problem could be solved and lead the way out of the present situation of financial chaos.

The result of Dr. Young's survey in Spain will be used by the government as a basis for improving the commercial relations between Spanish and American business men and is a part of a series of general surveys being made for the purpose of developing this country as a world trader.

Splendid New Playhouse for Seventh and Hill Streets.

New Pantages Theater and Miss Carmen Pantages,

Who will turn the first shovelful of earth at the ground-breaking ceremony tomorrow afternoon. She is the 5-year-old daughter of Alexander Pantages, builder of the theater.

RANCH DEAL RUINS RECTOR.

Episcopal Clergyman Files Petition in Bankruptcy Court.

Rev. Lawrence S. Shermer, rector of the Episcopal Church of Epiphany at Sichel and Altura streets, yesterday filed in the United States court a petition in bankruptcy. The minister, who lives at No. 222 North Griffin avenue, gave his liabilities as $1848 and his assets as $350, made up of his professional library and household goods, both exempt.

Mr. Shermer said last night that the bankruptcy petition was filed as the result of a ranch transaction at Riverside.

CONSULAR DEAN DIES.

Elmer Paul Mackusick Represented Peru Here Thirteen Years.

Elmer Paul Forest Mackusick, for the last thirteen years Peruvian Consul at Los Angeles, and for six years dean of the consular corps here, died on Wednesday night at his home, No. 721 West Twenty-third street, of pneumonia. He had been ill, however, with heart trouble for a long period. He was born at Foxcroft, Me., fifty-eight years ago, was educated at Cambridge, Eng., had traveled in all parts of the world, and had made many trips to Europe.

Mr. Mackusick, after practicing his profession as an architect, came to Los Angeles thirteen years ago for his health, with his wife and his daughter, Rosita, who survive. His office was for many years in the Pacific Electric Building. Funeral services will be held at 3:30 o'clock this morning at the chapel of Cunningham & O'Connor, No. 1031 South Grand avenue, with requiem mass at St. Vincent's Church, Washington and Grand, at 9 o'clock. Interment will be at Calvary Cemetery.

CAPT. HAGUE VERY LOW.

Late last night Capt. F. T. Hague, adjutant and inspector of the National Soldiers' Home, was in a very critical condition with pneumonia following influenza.

MRS. MUSHET BETTER.

Mrs. W. C. Mushet of No. 2614 Griffin avenue, who has been seriously ill for the past seven weeks, was reported as being slightly improved yesterday.

START BIG NEW THEATER.

Ground for Pantages Seven-Story Structure to be Broken Tomorrow.

Ground for the magnificent new on the circuit, all being owned personally by Pantages. In addition to these houses there are twenty other theaters which operate under a Pantages vaudeville franchise. At present Mr. Pantages is building a large new theater in Salt Lake, and plans are being prepared for the construction of six other houses in various mid-western cities.

Material for the new theater is being bought, as far as possible, from local dealers, and the work will be done by local subcontractors, who will select their own workmen.

As soon as the dedication ceremonies are over a score of teams and shovelers will start digging the excavation for the basement of the theater and office building.

Mr. Pantages stated yesterday that he expects the new building will be ready for use early next fall, when Pantages vaudeville will be removed from the present theater on Broadway. Plans for the continued use of the Broadway house have not yet been made public, but it is understood that Mr. Pantages will join the ranks of picture producers within a short time, and his film efforts will be given their first showing there.

Among those invited to be present at the dedication ceremonies are Mayor Woodman, Fire Chief Eley, Chief of Police Butler, Reese Llewellyn, president, and General Manager Sauretta, of the Llewellyn Iron Works; leading Seventh street merchants, including J. M. Schneider, president of the J. W. Robinson Company; James Haggarty, president of the New York Store; Dr. McReynolds, president of the Coulter company, and General Manager Binder; J. S. Bullock and Percy Winnette, of the Bullock store; Frank A. Garbutt, president of the Los Angeles Athletic Club; Richard Dillon and Dr. Edward Dillon, of the Dillon estate, owners of the property, which has been leased to Pantages; Frank Ryan and George Metcalf, of Metcalf & Ryan, agents in Los Angeles for Mr. Pantages; Arthur Letts, and other prominent business men.

The plans drawn for the new building were originally for a six-story building, but it was decided to increase the height of the building one or more stories additional. The agents have reported that they have, within a month, rented practically every store and office for long terms.

Mr. Pantages has decided to make his headquarters in Los Angeles, and as soon as the new building is ready he will move his headquarters staff from Seattle.

The new Los Angeles theater will be the sixteenth Pantages theater

"BLOODY MIKE" HERE AT LAST.

San Francisco Strike Leader Blows Into Town.

Plans to Organize Teamsters Into Unions.

Real Strike Stunts Then are His Programme.

"Bloody Mike" Casey is here. He "blew in" yesterday. Ten thousand teamsters are rejoicing over the arrival of "Mike." He came from San Francisco to organize all the local teamsters into unions.

"Mike" gained fame in San Francisco a number of years ago, when he engineered the most lawless strike in the history of the Bay City. He staged a teamsters' strike that was a marvel of terrorism. Peaceable teamsters were yanked from the seats of their wagons and beaten into insensibility. Many had their arms broken across the tires of their wagons.

Now "Mike" is here to save the downtrodden teamsters of Los Angeles. He held a brief meeting with a few of his brethren at the Labor Temple, last night, and outlined his plans.

"Mike" expects to organize a dozen or more small unions among the teamsters, grouping the material wagon drivers in one, fuel and feed wagon drivers in another, laundry drivers, auto truck drivers, grocery delivery drivers and junk wagon drivers in still others. He thinks this will be easier than trying to drag them all into one big union.

When he gets them all organized, "Mike" expects to show Los Angeles some real strike stunts. One of his pet schemes is that of tying up traffic in the busy streets by having teamsters handle their wagons in such a way that they lock wheels with other rigs.

TO COMPLETE PLANS.

Mayor Names Marshall Stimson as Roosevelt Committee Head.

Preliminary plans will be completed today for the memorial service in honor of the late Col. Roosevelt to be held on Sunday, February 9. Yesterday Mayor Woodman named Marshall Stimson chairman of the committee on arrangements and today Mr. Stimson will announce the personnel of the committee.

Mr. Stimson said yesterday that tentative plans for the ceremony include a number of addresses and appropriate music. An attempt will be made to get a man of national reputation to deliver the principal address.

Just where the celebration will be held has not been decided upon. Mayor Woodman suggested that it be held either in Exposition Park or Shrine Auditorium.

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TOMATO-CAN BOOTLEGGER?

In the arrest at Venice last night of a man giving the name of C. Williams, the beach city police believe they have discovered one of the most successful methods employed to smuggle liquor into arid Arizona.

According to the Venice police, Williams had been living in a house on Brooks avenue, Venice, belonging to Willis S. Mitchell of Los Angeles. Yesterday afternoon Mr. Mitchell visited the place and discovered that his tenant had flown, also that some articles of bedding and pieces of furniture were missing. He reported the matter to the police, who soon had Williams in custody.

Meanwhile Mr. Mitchell, with Detective Stanley, returned to the house, and, in searching about the premises, found ten cases of empty tin cans and a quantity of tomato labels.

Asked for an explanation, Williams is alleged to have admitted to the officers that he had shipped forty cases of tin cans containing liquor, and labeled as tomatoes, into Arizona. Williams refused to say where the "tomatoes" were sent or if he had any confederates. The case has been turned over to officials of the Department of Justice for further investigation.

FIVE HURT ON AUTO TRIP.

A day's motoring tour to the beaches ended with disaster when five persons were injured, one perhaps fatally, in a collision between a Pacific Electric car and an automobile yesterday. George Grout, 62, a tourist, here from Des Moines, Iowa, suffered a gash on the head, with a possible skull fracture, and also received internal injuries. He is in a serious condition.

His brother Fred Grout, 55, of No. 2124 North Marengo street, Pasadena, who was driving the car, was not injured. His wife was bruised and cut on the head and body, and may have internal injuries. Their 13-year-old son, William, was cut and bruised, but not seriously. Dorothy Griggs, 13, of No. 2122 North Marengo street, was with the party, and was slightly bruised on the legs.

The accident was caused by a stalled motor just as the automobile was over the Pacific Electric tracks on Vista street between Sunset boulevard and Hollywood boulevard. Gardner Junction car No. 278, inbound, and running at a speed of about ten miles an hour, according to Motorman R. Childress, struck the auto and practically demolished it. H. La Plant was the conductor on the car.

The People and Their Troubles

LETTERS TO "THE TIMES."

[The Times invites strong, clear, bright expression of opinion on current subjects, timely, pertinent and practical. Brevity should be kept in mind. Essays eschewed. Religious and personal controversies are taboo. Value is added to such letters by the signing of the writer's true name, which will be either published or withheld at the owner's request. Letters offered for publication should be in "parliamentary" language, and are subject to editorial supervision.]

Pasadena and the "Flu."

PASADENA, Jan. 21.—[To the Editor of The Times:] I am almost a stranger in this part of California, but do think both Los Angeles and Pasadena are beautiful places, and I enjoy them much—under favorable conditions. I am a law-abidding man and willing to do all I can to obey the laws as laid down by official boards, but I think they are making a great mistake in compelling people to muzzle themselves in the open because of the "flu." I do not believe God gave us the breathing apparatus he did to shut out the pure air which gives us life.

My home is more than 2000 miles from here, and I always love to come here, only once, in 1911, when it rained two months and kept me and my wife in much of the time. And now we must either stay in or be muzzled with a mask. For three and one-half weeks I have been stopping in Pasadena, but in a few days I shall go to Los Angeles, at least until a change of the muffling up order is made.

H. C. SMITHER,
No. 552 Oakland avenue.

Joys of Motherhood.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 20. — [To the Editor of The Times.] In reading The Times column, "People and Their Troubles," I, too, feel impelled to add my quota. Six months ago dear Mr. Stork brought our first-born to us in the shape of a lusty son, and not long after a childless little married doll neighbor of mine is said to have made the remark concerning myself: "Since she has had a baby she thinks everybody else should have one, too." And unconsciously I realize that is my attitude to all married women. I want to see them blessed with the wonderful blessing of a child.

Put our baby in one side of the scale, and the best money-paying position in the other, and I choose home every time, because it means baby — it means caring for him, kissing him, feeding him, singing to him—to his little wondering-eyed loveliness—all the happy day, and what more can true womán want?

I know what I am talking about; I am an educated girl; I have had a university education, and have an English B.A. degree for languages, and several other degrees and certificates for teaching; also I have quite a little experience in the American business world. I am not naturally domesticated, but now to have the blessed privilege of my little home's peaceful walls in which to cherish my son is a cause of never-ending gratitude. This material life of ours is so fleeting! I would rather face my Maker with the consciousness of having raised even one God-fearing son than be childless, though possessing every other possible qualification. Why will the women who are fortunate possessors of this potential gift neglect their divine right? Childbearing is our rightful mission fulfilled. The present-day air is filled with shallow unrest for women, but with all the changes may they not forget it is their privilege to open the gates of their home life wide and enable a little groping soul to flutter earthward. A home, however humble, fresh air, a baby's smile, a sunshiny day, and strength and will to be active in it—isn't this more to be desired than the typewriter's clicking and the chink of someone else's money?

ETHEL SEDLACEK.
No. 733 South Harvard.

Our Inheritance Law.

SIERRA MADRE, Jan. 21.—[To the Editor of The Times:] An effort is being made to amend the California inheritance law relating to restrictions on devises and bequests for educational and charitable uses. It deserves to succeed. Every institution that educates and cares for the unfortunate, relieves the State from so much taxation. The great Eastern States encourage and foster institutions that are, or are likely to be established to benefit those that the State itself would otherwise be called upon to provide for.

There is another side to this question that, to my mind, is of still greater importance. The present law is in direct conflict with the spirit of democracy. For example: I am an old man, have worked hard, often by night as well as by day, have been saving, and have accumulated some property that I am desirous of leaving to the unfortunate. I have taken an interest in this just as a parent takes an interest in providing for the future of his children. The law permits him to carry out his desires, but forbids me from carrying out mine. Is that justice, is that the spirit of democracy?

JOHN M. LEE.

County Employees' Pensions.

EL MONTE, Jan. 21.—[To the Editor of The Times:] I read that the Supervisors approve pensioning the county employees. Who will pay the bill? The taxpayers; I for one will circulate a petition and put it to a vote of the people. The taxpayers pay the county employees good salaries, which are sufficient to keep them in their old age if they use their money properly, why should we who work to pay taxes have to keep them in idleness when they are as able to work as we are?

JAMES EMERSON.

At Last, the Cure!

QUARTZ (Tuolumne county) Jan. 18.—[To the Editor of The Times:] I send you a receipt for flu cases, viz.: Take one-half cup of brandy and stir into it enough sugar to make a thick paste. Take this mixture and keep taking and hold in the mouth until dissolved. Please give this a fair test. Nothing but sugar and brandy; make a thick dose of it, and keep taking until

ELLIOTT.

POSTPONE HEARING.

When the case of "J. J. Brown," whose real name is said to be Herman T. Myers, charged with being concerned in a bunco game having for its object the fleecing of G. P. Cunningham, a South Dakota tourist, was called, yesterday, before United States Commissioner Long a postponement was ordered for one week, on motion of the government. It was announced that the absence of witnesses from the South Dakota town made the postponement necessary. A strenuous effort was made to have the bond of Myers increased from sum originally fixed by the commissioner at $2500, but this was refused

So He Can Smoke in the House - - By Fontaine Fox.

THE HOBGOBLIN OF TODAY.

Once there was a theorist; he said, "The flu is not!
It's all a vain imagining, a fear and tommyrot."
He wouldn't stay away from crowds, he lingered on the stair,
And while he gazed upon the stars the flu germ saw him there.
It sought out his Achilles heel and nailed him on the spot—
And the quarantine man got him, for he didn't—watch out.

Once there was a debutante, she loved to dance and flirt;
When someone cried, "'Tis dangerous!" she seemed to feel quite hurt;
She held her little parties, in spite of legal ban,
And when the wise protested, she said, "Let laugh who can!"
She wore a party dress so thin it might have passed in June;
Then danced and walked and sat about admiring the moon.
But a chilliness came over her, and she coughed—without a doubt
The pneumococci got her, for she didn't—watch out.

CLAIRE FITZ GERALD.

Pasadena, January 20, 1919.

SAME OLD STORY.

"Well, it'll be a gay life," said Winifred Wilshire, as she tossed petulantly aside something she had been reading of highbrow stuff on on "The New Spiritual Vision." "Here we've been knitting sweaters and trench caps and gathering tin foil and collecting peach pits all during the war, and now that it's over we're to sit at the feet of the returned heroes and listen as they tell us of the wonderful new spiritual vision they have acquired fighting for democracy and of the radical moral, adjustments we must make to meet their new ideals. Bosh, I say!"

"What's the matter? queried Irma, looking up languidly from the latest number of The Saucy Set.

"Matter! Why, this: we've done our part to win the war, gave up our society life and our parties—most of them—and our outings—a good many of them—and all that sort of thing and became anchorets, pretty nearly, and we did it without a murmur."

"It 'was our duty," said Irma.

"Of course it was. I'm not kicking at that. But now that the war is over we have a right to expect a little pleasure. Here are the 'Grizzlies' with us now, gay young fellows before the war, but what are we to expect of them now?"

"Well, what?"

"Why, just this—I've been reading about it in an article by a war worker attached to the Y. K. M.C.B.: The boys at the front, he says, have discovered an entirely new view of religion and the future life, which society and the church must hurry to accept. This new vision, he says, knows only one way of salvation—the sacrifice of physical life. Just think of Corp. Chester preaching that to us!"

"But he may not do it."

"I should like to see him! So like Chester before he went overseas! But this war writer says it is so. And Chester certainly did look more serious when I saw him with the other Grizzlies on Broadway. I suppose he'll be prating a new Gethsemanies or Calvaries when he comes out to see us, instead of planning for a dance or an auto party."

"I don't see how your war worker figures that out."

"Well, he says the soldiers have learned to know but two sins, cowardness and selfishness. And he thinks the hatred of selfishness will lead them to cut out dances and that sort of thing and that they won't want to have a good time because it will be 'selfish.'"

"I don't know; he may be right."

"I'm going to investigate Chester at once and solve this thing. He ought to be at his office this afternoon fixing up to begin his business again Monday. I'll ring him up.

(Business of telephoning.)

"Mr. Sands isn't in? . . . Don't know when he will be? What! . . . Gone to the beach? . . . A party of them? . . . Men friends? . . . Don't know whether they were all men? . . . What!"

(Hanging up the receiver.)

"Irma!"

"Yes?"

"Let's get the auto."

UNCLE JOSH.

THE FAMILY WHALE.

It seems that we have been rather neglecting our whales. The splendid possibilities of this massive mammal have only been partially understood. During the war we pried off an occasional steak from a deceased whale and made believe it was a cross between Bruno and Dobbin. The meat market man said that we couldn't tell it from a slab from a range steer, but we could very readily by any one of the five senses. But as a change from horse meat or moose it had its good points, and was said to be capable of sustaining

human life indefinitely—that is, if the party really cared to have his life sustained at that price.

Now we are advised that as a milker the lady whale has the good old family cow faded to a fare ye well. The bureau of animal industry of the Oregon State Board of Agriculture has been making some investigation along this line, and some of the results are mentioned in an article by a highbrowed expert appearing in the Thrift magazine. Among other somewhat startling statements made it is claimed that enough whales could be herded in Puget Sound to supply America with milk. Such being the case, why is it that the grasping dairyman is permitted to go through our trousers and pluck us for 15 cents or thereabouts for every quart of milk left at the family door?

The investigators declare that un-

der kind treatment the mother whale is a gentle milker, and will give forth a barrel of the lacteal fluid at one milking. To be frank about it, we would hardly know how to tackle the job of milking a fleet of passionate whales. Whether one would wear a deep-sea uniform or carry a suction pump we wot not.

We doubt if the whale can ever be popularized as a steady milker. It isn't as if she could be staked out in a patch of sagebrush and left prettty much to hustle for herself. The whale is a hard drinker. She needs a lot of moisture and it is almost necessary that she should have enough salt water to turn around in. As she is sixty or seventy feet long it will be seen that the requirement makes her home practically prohibitive to the average farmer. People who have suggested that they might be able to bring a whale in the family bath tub and milk her for breakfast every morning have nothing on which to base their hopes.

Possibly it will be better to let the whole blooming deal alone. Sound, where this experiment might have determined to assemble. There they could be milked wholesale and possibly a goodly supply could be put in to take the place of the centers of population. The milk is there, anyhow. People can use it or leave it alone.

Meanwhile any farmer who has a small sized ocean on his place who wishes to adopt an impressionable whale who is also a retiring gentle milker, might gain considerable information by writing to the Oregon Board of Agriculture.

Have you a little whale at your home?

COUSIN JEDD.

WOES OF EATING.

Some day after the cessation of all the problems of the world war have been adjusted, the sorrows of the restaurant patron will receive attention. Every one ambles into a dry goods store and asks for a yard of tape and gets a bona-fide yard. There is no short measure. Go into a hardware store and ask for a pound of two-penny nails, and one gets sixteen ounces.

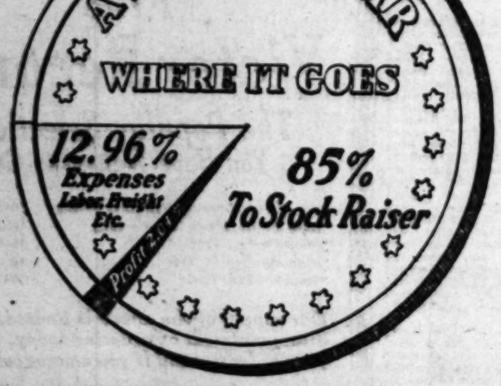
But when one orders a meal whatever one wants to eat there is no standard. Camembert is classed as a fine art. Ham that requires only the time of day through it is called bacon as diaphanous as a gossamer veil. Apple pie are flanked by eggs of all caliber. One's "stack of wheats" may be merits the term about as high as a calling cards piled one on the other; merits the term "hash." Sometimes your "stack" of toast is a stack of morning, and you'll probably find that it attained the dimensions of three-eighths of an inch when the "stack of wheats" is only one inch high and the thimble of butter accompanying the same has been sufficient to lay the dust on the top crust. The moderate priced "steak" is in quality, caliber and dimensions of the personalities of those who dispense them.

Why do so many persons in Los Angeles "fall" for the place where skin things down to the bone? Do they continue to patronize them for ouflage joint? The answer is simple. Many of these eating places are run up by transients—here today, gone tomorrow." No matter how many patrons go out dissatisfied, a fresh batch of travelers always appears to hiatus at the trough. Then, perhaps the chic waitress with the store dresses and movie complexion is an attraction sufficient to compensate for any gastronomic inquacies.

Every public eating place should be held to a strict accountability in the matter of serving food. The term "a meal" should mean a definite service.

HUDSON LEE.

The Swift Dollar for 1918



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TO DRUM UP TRADE IN THE FAR EAST.

MANUFACTURERS' AGENT IS TO LEAVE ON FOUR MONTHS' TOUR OF ORIENT.

Marking the establishment of the foreign trade department of the California Manufacturers' Association O. S. Orrick, president of the California Paint Company, has been commissioned by President J. R. Miller of the association, to establish a correspondent or agent for the association at many trade centers in the Far East. His trip, which will consume over six months, will include forty-six cities, as follows: Honolulu, Yokohama, Tokio, Kobe, Osaka, Vladivostok, Shanghai, Peking, Tientsin, Harbin, Hankow, Hongkong, Canton, Hankow, Manila, Saigon, Singapore, Kuala Lumpar, Penang, Madan, Bankok, Ragoon, Calcutta, Madras, Colombo, Bombay, Lahore, Karachi, Batavia, Cheribon, Semarang, Soerabaya, Bandjermasin, Macassar, Brisbane, Sydney, Melbourne, Adelaide, Tasmania, Wellington and Auckland.

Chairman Orrick is organizing a large committee from representative concerns of the State, who are doing a large export business. He is a strong believer in the possibilities of the extension of American commerce to the uttermost ends of the world, and states: "To become the money center, we must become the trade center of the world, and such a change cannot be brought about quickly; and, up-to-date, our export to regions other than Great Britain and Europe have been comparatively limited in amount. We must cultivate and build up new markets for our manufacturers and merchants, and that is a matter of time. America is now a creditor nation. She must also become a foreign-trading nation. To be one or the other she must be both. More and more, from this time on, must she become an exporter of finished products and an importer of foodstuffs and raw materials. She had already become such an importer before the outbreak of the great war. In order to preserve her industrial life she must now increase her exports."

DR. LAWRENCE QUITS.

However, Venerable Anti-Cigarette Campaigner to Keep up Work.

Dr. B. F. Lawrence, who says he is 91 years young, has resigned as superintendent of the Anti-Cigarette League of California, to take a much needed rest, and James A. Walton has been named to head the organization, in his place.

However, Dr. Lawrence is not "getting out." He has merely relegated himself to the ranks, it was stated yesterday, and will abate not of his efforts to put "pills" in the same class with John Barleycorn and the Kaiser.

The election of S. W. Ware as secretary-treasurer of the league, always announced yesterday. The league's temporary headquarters are No. 5007 Range View avenue.

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FIND GIRLS EXHAUSTED ON MOJAVE DESERT.

WOULD WALK TO BALTIMORE, THEY TELL OFFICER—HAD NO FOOD OR WATER.

Nearly frozen to death by the night chill of the Mojave Desert, two girls were found half-way between Needles and Daggett, shortly after midnight yesterday, by Deputy Sheriff McCay. The girls, who gave the names of Gladys Lewis, 18 years of age, and Eva Lewis, 16, were wandering along a country road, nearly exhausted and without water or food.

A telegram received yesterday by Deputy Sheriff Manning from Mr McCay stated that he had taken the girls to Daggett. He wired that he believed them runaways.

The girls said they were sisters. Mr. McCay reported, and intended to walk to Baltimore. They had $3, no extra clothing, nothing to eat and were far from a water supply. The officer said he does not believe they would have long withstood the extreme night chill of the desert nor the strain of walking through the sand, especially as they wore high French-heeled slippers.

The older girl has dark hair and gray eyes, weighs 130 pounds, and wore a dark red and black coat, slippers with French heels, brown stockings and a small black hat.

The younger girl has light brown hair, blue eyes, and wore a dark green fur-trimmed coat, light tan cloth slippers and a small mouse-colored hat.

KEARNY MEN TO RUSSIA?

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CAMP KEARNY (San Diego) Jan. 23.—Prospects are good that some officers of the Sixteenth Division, now in process of demobilization here, may see service in Siberia. Official inquiry was received here today from Washington as to how many first and second lieutenants are available in this division for service in that section of Russia. The communication said that eleven first and thirteen second lieutenants were wanted for that work. They will be selected from lieutenants in the Regular Army and those in the National Army who have applied for retention in the army.

Announcement was made today that enlisted men who have no prospect of immediate employment if they leave the service may remain indefinitely until they have places assured them. The view expressed by officers is that this will be of material assistance in the readjustment process of after-the-war days.

Artillery practice, which has been carried on, without interruption recently, has been suspended at last, in view of the demobilization orders received here.

Only four new cases of influenza were reported at the base hospital today for the twenty-four-hour period ending at midnight last night. There have been no deaths from the disease in the last ten days.

FOUR-YEAR-OLD LOSES; FATHER STARTS SUIT.

DAMAGES FOR FALSE ARREST ARE SOUGHT FROM PASADENA AUTHORITIES.

Declaring that Eugene Ford Palmer, 4-year-old son of Walter E. Palmer, expert rifle and revolver shot and secretary and range officer affiliated with the National Rifle Association of America, was too young to appreciate mental suffering by incarceration in jail, Judge Wellborn yesterday denied him damages for false arrest and gave judgment in favor of the defendants, Chief McIntyre and Officer Vance of Pasadena. The court indicated, however, that Mr. Palmer had a good cause of action. He was also arrested by the Pasadena police.

A few minutes after the court's decision Mr. Palmer sued Chief McIntyre and Officer Vance, asking $10,000 damages for false arrest and mental suffering by imprisonment in jail. The facts set out in the complaint were similar to those testified to in court.

While on private business with his son, Mr. Palmer was arrested in Pasadena and both father and son thrown into jail. It developed that the arrest was due to an error. Mrs. Palmer had telephoned to a livery man in Glendale, where Mr. Palmer had gone on business, to intercept him. The livery man was to tell Mr. Palmer that his brother wanted to see him.

The Pasadena police say they received word from Glendale to "pick up" Mr. Palmer, and did so, but say there was no compulsion in keeping him in jail.

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Bacon	Swift's Premium whole or half	57c
Potatoes	Idaho Russets	8 lbs. 25c

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Campbell Soups, 11c. Doz.	
Del Monte med. whole beets, 20c. Doz.	
Antoni Birti white castile soap, 1½ lb.	
Prunes	80—90 lb. 13c. 2 lbs. 25c 100 — 120 per lb. 12c

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WOES OF EATING.

Some day after the complex problems of the world war have been adjusted, the sorrows of the restaurant patron will receive attention. When one ambles into a dry goods store and asks for a yard of textile and gets a bona-fide yard. There is no short measure. Go into a hardware store and ask for a pound of 8-penny nails, and one gets, invariably, sixteen ounces.

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Why do so many persons in Los Angeles "fall" for the places that skin things down to zero? Why do they continue to patronize the camou-flage joint? The answer is easy. Many of these eating places are built up by transients—"here today, there tomorrow." No matter how many patrons go out dissatisfied, a fresh batch of travelers always presents itself at the trough. Then, too, the patrons' memories are short, or perhaps the chic waitress with her store tresses and movie queen eyes is an attraction sufficient to compen-sate for any gastronomic inadequacies.

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...New York.

...rday yesterday of a cable ...ished, Capt. Lee Schles-...ger is on his way home ...ma. Mrs. Schlesinger ...ahoma) who was at Stan-...d since for New York to ...e she was accompanied ...r father and mother-in-...Mrs. G. F. Schlesinger, ...ville.

...ey stay in New York. ...Miss Anderson will visit ...ld aunt, Prince and ...Havrich Hredelianо ...Athens.) As they main-...ir social position and a ...ouse in New York, the ...ce of Capt. Schlesinger in ...ve a gay visit. She is ...ter of Mr. and Mrs. Wil-...dowes of Victoria Park ...England, and is a last ...bride.

...Capt. Schlesinger is mus-...he will come with Mrs. ...to Los Angeles for a ...with her parents. On their ...ey will visit Mr. and Mrs. ...ce of Chicago, Mrs. Por-...the former Miss Ida. Hol-...ster of Mrs. Mary Ban-...ville of Paducah, Ky., a ...of Mrs. Schlesinger's ...

...Schlesinger is in the Field ...with the Thirty-seventh ...for a time, after passing ...examination in his class, ...instructor at Saumur, ...school for cavalry offi-...ers. A little before the ...he signed, however, he ...in the thick of the fight.

...Miss Cartice of Kansas ...Miss Margaret Porter of ...go to furnish inspiration ...be a big dinner-dance ...Mrs. Erasmus Wilson is to entertain and which promises to set the social ball a-rolling.

It is to be held at the Los Angeles Country Club next Thursday evening and nearly one hundred guests are to be invited—which will make it the largest event given in Los Angeles this season so far. Mrs. Wilson is just beginning to be herself again after rather a serious illness.

Miss Vail Returns.

Miss Mary E. Vail is returning home today from New York, but her sister, Miss Margaret Vail, will remain there several months longer, studying voice. Miss Mary for a time was very ill, and went traveling all through the South, tarrying a while in Flodida before again joining her sister in New York. Mrs. Walter L. Vail, their mother, yesterday received a cable from Lieut. Walter Vail, Jr., who was in the aviation branch of the service, saying he is now on the high seas, homeward bound. Sergt. Edward Vail returned from France with the Sunshine Division.

For Mrs. Childs.

At a luncheon at the California Club for Mrs. Oxro W. Childs were the following guests: Mrs. Stephen Childs, Mrs. Jack Foster, Mrs. Madge Hardenburg, Mrs. Marshall Wellborn, Mrs. Margaret Ham, Mrs. James Knealy, Mrs. George Martyn, Mrs. William Whitener and Miss Redman.

Mrs. Mayfield not to Return.

It is disappointing news that Lieutenant-Commander and Mrs. Irving Mayfield (Juliet Borden) do not contemplate coming back to Los Angeles soon. He has just been ordered to Cuba on Admiral Robinson's ship for three months' practice. During that time, Mrs. Mayfield will remain in New York. She expects a happy visit from her brother, Lieut. Harry Borden, of the Coast Artillery, who arrived in New York yesterday from France.

Returning from Boston.

News of the near return from Boston of Mr. and Mrs. Albert C. Burrage and their family promises a flutter in social circles of Southern California, because when they are here they entertain on a lavish scale. They will open their fine estate at Redlands, which because of the war they did not occupy last year. They have been detained in the East owing to several domestic events in the branches of younger members of the family. Mrs. Harold Chalifoux (Bessie Burrage) will come in the private car with her parents, and will bring her small son. She and her husband, who were kept in Washington during the war on government work, returned to Boston just after the armistice was signed, and he again took charge of his extensive factories in Lowell. Mr. and Mrs. Russell Burrage are just now receiving congratulations upon the birth of a son. They already had two little girls.

For Mrs. Gregg.

Mrs. Charles W. Gregg of Washington, D. C., was the cause for a very smart coterie of guests being entertained at dinner at the Hotel Huntington, Pasadena, last evening. Mrs. John F. Francis of this city was the hostess and had a large party. Mrs. Gregg is to remain in Los Angeles all winter, a house guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Smythe.

Personals.

After a month's visit with both their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar M. Souden and Mr. and Mrs. Walter D. Walsh, Lieut. and Mrs. Christy Walsh (Madaline Souden) left for their home in New York. They will stop en route in Chicago for the automobile show. Lieut. Walsh went into the army last August and was stationed at Camp Johnston, Fla., in the motor transport corps.

Mr. and Mrs. Kendrick Chamberlain returned yesterday to their ranch home in the Coachella Valley after a week's visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Chamberlain, of No. 401 North Vermont avenue.

The expected return of Capt. Joe Wallis from Camp Lee, Va., on Sunday is causing excitement in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Wallis, of Harvard boulevard. The sad part of his homecoming, however, is that the Wallis residence is in quarantine, and he can't visit his family until late next week.

DRAMA.

IN VARIOUS THEATERS.

SOME OF THE NOTABLE ATTRACTIONS THIS WEEK.

Orpheum.

"Rubeville," that most entertaining meange of melody and bucolic mirth, is the Orpheum's headliner for the week beginning Monday matinee, January 27. The same delightful routine is preserved in "Rubeville," and Harry Watson is still at its head. The Barr Twins, two of the loveliest girls ever seen here, are returning "on their own" this time, with a great array of toilettes, song and dance numbers, and smart effects. John Swor and Mack Avey are a combination of two of the old-time darky teams. Four Buttercups, dainty singing lassies, will warble in concert, and Grace Nelson, an American prima donna, will be heard in selections from a big repertoire, while Harry and Grace Ellsworth will present a different sort of patter, song and step act. The only holdovers will be Hobart Bosworth, in "The Sea Wolf," and the Courtney sisters.

Symphony.

The fact that Harry Carey, the veteran cowboy star, appears in a tuxedo suit and patent leather pumps instead of the flannel shirt and high-top boots of the plains in "Roped," his latest feature at the Symphony this week, is causing flim fans to flock to the playhouse. Although the camouflaging of the Carey physique is a strong drawing card, the real box-office merits of the play lie in the entirely "different" story. Bebe Daniels, in her latest screen farce, "Love's Young Scream," is an added feature on the current Symphony bill.

Superba.

Those who want to see Priscilla Dean, in the best role of her career had best hurry to see "The Wildcat of Paris," now in its second and last week at the Superba, for this amaizing photodrama will positively end its run after the last show on Saturday night. "The Wildcat of Paris" is a melodrama of the Parisian underworld and contains some of the most vivid Apache scenes ever thrown on a local screen. The plot is woven around an Apache queen who, in time becomes the savior of her country. The picture was directed by Joe de Grasse.

Palace.

"The Squaw Man" has been making a big impression on the patrons of the Palace this week. The wonderful dramatic power of the story, its beautiful setting, perfect photography and remarkable all-star cast, combine to make this one of the most notable screen productions of the season. Two laughable comedies, "Pearls and a Peach" and "Flirting with Mermaids" supply the humerous element of the programme. Next week the greatest of screen favorites, Douglas Fairbanks, will be the headline attraction in "Arizona."

Quinn's Rialto.

When a picture runs for four weeks in Los Angeles you may feel tolerably sure that there is something to the picture, for the audiences here are ultra-different and more than ordinarily hard to please. Almost everyone that you run into knows the modus operandi of the films and can discourse at length upon the best and most satisfactory method of getting good pictures. But it remains for "The Turn in the Road" to establish a precedent that is rather novel. It is now in its fourth week.

RETURNS FROM OVERSEAS.

Dr. A. T. Charlton, who trained the nurses and internes of naval base hospital unit No. 3 at the County Hospital here, has returned home and will shortly resume practice. His return was hastened by the illness of his wife. For a time Dr. Charlton was connected with naval hospital work in Scotland, with the rank of senior lieutenant. Later he transferred to the army medical service and saw service in the battle of Argonne Forest.

ESTATE GOES TO WIDOW.

Mrs. Caroline E. Skinner will receive the main portion of the estate of her late husband, George W. Skinner, who died in Los Angeles, January 14, under a will filed for probate yesterday. The estate is valued at $10,000. Three brothers, three sisters and the children of two deceased brothers are left $1 each. In case of the death of the widow the residue of the estate will go to her two children by a former marriage and to a son of Mr. Skinner.

THE :: CHINESE :: NIGHTINGALE.

Brilliant Oriental Songbird at Pantages.

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FLASHES.

FRANCES MARION WEDS.

FRED THOMSON, FAMOUS ATHLETE, IS BRIDEGROOM.

By Grace Kingsley.

Cupid had the rialto all agog again yesterday when word was received of the mating of two celebrities, one of the screen, the other of the war work and sporting fields. They are none other than Frances Marion, former picture actress, later scenario writer for Mary Pickford, and at present government worker in France for the Allies, and Fred Thomson of Occidental, champion athlete, holder of the world's all-around athletic record, and who went to France as chapiain of the One Hundred and Forty-third Field Artillery, California, formerly stationed at Camp Kearny and adopted as godsons by Mary Pickford.

The wedding occurred in Paris in the Edward VII Hotel, on the evening of November 19, when there were present among the guests, Harry Reichenbach, in charge of propaganda airplanes in France, M. Fonck, the French ace, and other distinguished guests.

A pretty romance precedes the wedding. It was at Camp Kearny that Miss Marion and Chaplain Thomson met, and it was none other than Mary Pickford who played Cupid on the occasion and introduced them. A case of love at first sight was the outcome, and the pair were much together up to the time that Miss Marion left for New York, en route to France to take up the war work for which she patriotically gave up the position of scenario writer for Mary Pickford, at which job she earned $50,000 per year. Shortly afterward the One Hundred and Forty-third Field Artillery, of which Thomson was chaplain, went to France, where the two met again in Paris.

At present, according to Mr. Reichenbach, Mrs. Thomson is directing a war propaganda picture called, "Women in the War," illustrating, as the name implies, the part women have played in the world struggles. Being of a high-strung and sympathetic nature, Mrs. Thomson is almost a nervous wreck from her sympathetic sufferings caused by constant attendance at the hospitals, both in Paris and near the trenches. Also she underwent an attack of Spanish influenza, and for several days her life was despaired of.

Fred Thomson's all-around athletic record has not been beaten. After gaining local fame at Occidental College, he went to Princeton, where he became world famous as smasher of the record of Jim Thorp, who had won high honors at the Olympiad held in Stockholm in 1912.

The present marriage is the second venture of Thomson, whose wife was killed in an accident several years ago, and is the third matrimonial hazard of Miss Marion.

Not wishing to leave his bride, Chaplain Thomson did not return to the United States when others of the American forces came back, though it is understood he received his discharge. The pair are expected to return to this country in the course of a couple of months.

FAR BELOW QUOTA.

Contributions in Mercy Drive are from Poor, Campaigner Says.

Only one-third of Southern California's quota of $500,000 to relieve the starving people of Armenia and Syria has been raised, it was reported last night. The national drive, of which the local campaign is a part, will close Saturday night. While the outlying sections have nearly all raised their quotas, members of the committee stated that the responsibility for the failure of the campaign lies with the wealthy people of Los Angeles.

"We have raised here in the city less than one-third of the city's quota of $300,000," said Publicity Director A. U. Mershon, last night. "We have received not a single check for more than $300, and not five checks for $100 or more. The contributions we have received have come from poor people in pennies, nickels and dimes.

"The public is fully acquainted with the necessity for the relief and yet those who can best afford to give have not so far come forward."

All churches are united in the campaign to relieve the victims of the Turks. N. H. Wells is chairman of the committee, and the headquarters are at No. 719 South Hill street.

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SEES PEACE IN INDUSTRY HERE.

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dent; F. J. Mullen, first vice-president; R. L. McCourt, second vice-president; M. R. Newmark, treasurer; F. J. Zeehandelaar, secretary; Oscar Lawler, attorney. Mr. Zeehandelaar has been secretary of the organization for twenty-two years.

Following are this year's directors: George T. Cline, W. H. Clune, Charles A. Ducommun, Hugh F. Stewart, Harold L. Arnold, A. C. Brode, George A. Fitch, E. A. Geissler, Leo Jacoby, F. J. B. McComas, R. L. McCourt, F. J. Mullen, M. R. Newmark, I. H. Rice and H. B. Woodill.

The annual banquet of the association will be held at the Alexandria Hotel next Monday evening at 7 o'clock. The principal speaker will be Capt. Robert Dollar of San Francisco, who will discuss Pacific shipping.

MASK WEARING IDEA NOT FAVORED HERE.

DR. HAYNES MEETS REBUFF AT HEARING—"FLU" CASES STILL DECLINE.

Whether the people of Los Angeles are to wear masks to prevent dissemination of influenza germs is a matter for Health Commissioner Powers to decide. After more than two hours of animated discussion on the subject of masks yesterday, the Medical Advisory Committee and the Business Men's Committee, meeting with Dr. Powers, city officials "sat down" upon Dr. John R. Haynes, who appeared before them claiming to represent the "Citizens' League to Aid the Suppression of Influenza," and who advocated that the wearing of masks be made compulsory.

Dr. Powers gave the committeemen the assurance that influenza appears to be steadily declining, the number of cases yesterday being 235 against 352 the previous day. Deaths were 27 yesterday as against 23 the day before. There were 1725 cases for the week, against 2798 during the previous week. Police Chief Butler admitted he thought it would be a hard matter to enforce mask-wearing legislation, but asserted that the police department would do the Health Department's bidding at any and all times.

Dr. Haynes drew considerable fire from Dr. LeMoyne Wills when he undertook to cite to the Advisory Committee figures from San Francisco and Paso Robles to prove that masks are the only thing that will save the lives of Angelenos. Dr. George L. Cole also expressed his opinion against mask wearing. W. A. Barker, George I. Cochran, Seth Brown and Watt Moreland, speaking for the business interests, said they stood ready to back up any action the health department might decide upon.

C. J. McCormick, member of the Board of Education, yesterday asked the City Council for $3000 to be spent in employing physicians to inspect school teachers and pupils who are shortly to return to classrooms. The matter was referred to the Finance Committee.

Members of the Board of Education will meet with Supt. Shiels and numerous principals at the Grand-avenue school this afternoon at 1 o'clock to discuss the matter of opening schools located in districts where influenza is not particularly prevalent. The board has expressed willingness to permit the opening of such schools without requiring the wearing of masks. Dr. Herbert F. True, director of health and development in the city schools, will submit a report today in which he will name the schools to be opened on Monday. These institutions, as given out last night by Dr. True, are the Washington Park, Sierra Park, Farmdale, Van Ness-avenue, California-street, Union-avenue, Seventh-street, Santa Fe-avenue, South Park-avenue and Manchester-avenue schools. Others probably will open, it was stated, although the report is not yet complete. All pupils and teachers will be required to pass inspection as to sneezing and coughing before they may return to school.

The first conviction for violation of county influenza quarantine regulations came yesterday, when Justice Palmer fined Mrs. Chris Machado of Culver City $10. Two physicians were discharged on charges of not reporting influenza cases on showing that they used proper diligence to notify the County Health Officer.

Dr. Pomeroy reported yesterday that a bill to permit county health officers to handle health and sanitary work in incorporated cities, when requested to do so, has been presented to the Legislature. The bill was drafted by Dr. Pomeroy, based on his experiences in the influenza epidemic.

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GIVEN LAND AS SUIT IS FILED.

Order First of Kind Made by Superior Court.

County Gets Property for Long Beach Channel.

Work to be Started Before Actual Condemnation.

Unique action was taken here yesterday when, for the first time in the history of the Superior Court, immediate possession of land to be condemned by the county was ordered made the same day the suit was filed and without awaiting the trial. Presiding Judge Weller made the order. This suit will be followed by others to condemn rights of way for the big flood control channel in Long Beach. The county has appropriated about $806,000 for the cost of the property and may proceed with the work before the cases come to trail.

There are 336 separate parcels of land desired and each defendant will be served with a copy of the complaint. The pages of the copies if placed end to end would stretch a distance of fifteen miles.

The rights of way sued for yesterday cover a distance of about one mile extending from Sixth street, Long Beach, to the ocean. The complaint was filed in the forenoon. Later, County Counsel Hill and Deputy County Counsel Burnell appeared before Presiding Judge Weller and presented affidavits as to the value of the property desired, namely, $488,482.53.

COURT MAKES ORDER.

The court then made an order that upon the deposit of $313,711.98, the difference between the value of the benefit and the value of the property purchased, the district would be given immediate possession of the rights of way. This sum will be appropriated today by the Supervisors out of the money derived from the sale of flood control bonds, and a warrant deposited to the order of the court with the Security trust and Savings Bank. When the case comes to trial and the damages are fixed, the court will make an order directing the bank to turn this sum over to the owners of the land taken.

Meantime, the county can go ahead purchasing rights of way up to the time of the trial. Later on the county will file a suit condemning property for rights of way for the channel from Sixth street to Anaheim Beach, a distance of more than a mile. There are fifty parcels in this proceeding, and the same procedure will be followed as to an order for immediate possession of the property.

TRANSFER IT TO U. S.

A third suit will be filed for property between Anaheim road and Cerritos trestle, covering 800 pieces of land and a distance of about four miles. In these two additional suits checks will be deposited on the order of the court.

When the last of the three suits has been filed the county will be able to turn over to the government possession of the entire strip to be condemned for the big channel. The government will dredge the channel, which will be 720 feet wide. The government's appropriation for the dredging is $1,080,000.

is provided under Section 14, Article I of the constitution, adopted by the people at the November election.

The Long Beach flood control Rights of Way Committee resigned in a body because the county would not follow its desire to have Federal condemnation.

ENTERTAIN SOLDIERS BACK FROM FRANCE.

BANQUET AND DANCE TENDERED RETURNING ANTI-AIRCRAFT MEMBERS.

To herald their homecoming from France, where they have been in active service, a banquet and dance were tendered last evening to about 125 members of the Second Anti-aircraft Battalion by their auxiliary in the armory at Exposition Park. More than 450 persons partook of a chicken dinner served by a committee headed by Mrs. C. A. Chambers and comprising mothers and relatives of the men.

The banquet was given for the men and their intimate friends. Following the spread, Dr. J. Whitcomb Brougher gave an address of welcome, and entertainment was furnished by a committee from the former Soldiers' and Sailors' Welfare Commission.

Among the men returned is Louis Foix of Santa Fe Springs, who volunteered for service in the Coast Artillery when 19. He was transferred to the anti-aircraft battalion and saw service in France from September until the signing of the armistice, during which time he was in the St. Mihiel drive.

CHURCH DESTROYED.

Members of Congregation Said to Have Received Threats.

Completely destroying the Mt. Zion Methodist Church, at Paloma and Pico streets, a fire of unknown origin last night caused damage estimated at $30,000. The church, a wooden frame building, owned by a colored congregation, was a mass of flames five minutes after the fire was discovered. A second alarm was sounded, but on arriving on the scene the fire chief's confined their efforts to keeping the blaze from spreading to the adjacent buildings. For some time it was believed that a four-flat building in the rear of the edifice would be consumed, and the tenants moved their belongings to the street.

Investigation will be made today of rumors that several members of the church had received threatening notes lately, as it is thought that the blaze may have been of incendiary origin.

MUSICAL.

ARTISTIC SUCCESS.

LUCY GATES AND TRIO ATTRACT LARGE AUDIENCE.

Lucy Gates, a bred-in-the-bone American soprano, attracted the largest audience of the season at Trinity Auditorium last evening. Miss Gates is new to the West, and that same newness and freshness is the essence of her personality. She has the invaluable gift of youth, in fact as well as in her art, totally lacking that hackneyed and theatrical quailty which characterizes many otherwise charming singers. Miss Gates is a coloratura, and an opera singer, first of all, but her dramatic penchant only lent color to her work in recital. Her voice is full, warm, and rarity of rarities in a coloratura true. Her big number, the aria of the "Queen of Shewakha," from Rimsky-Korsakoff's opera, "The Golden Cock," was beautifully done, and, with its novelties of scale, would have been ruined by the average coloratura because of its requirement of absolute pitch.

Five shorter songs, of which Grieg's "Solveig's Song" was probably most beautifully sung, were accompanied by Carlos Salzedo at the piano. The trio assisted for the aria and the encores, of which there were two; the aria from "Lucia," with George Barrere playing the flute and "The Nightingale Charms the Rose."

The combination of a singer and a trio is unusual, and particularly such a trio as the Lutece, which consists of harp, 'cello and flute. The purity of these three instruments in unison is extraordinary. The flute lends softness to the 'cello, and the 'cello lends depth to the flute. The harpist, certainly one of the foremost on the concert stage, Carlos Salzedo, worked miracles of loveliness with his instrument. His pedaling and phrasing were perfection, and his tone coloring, ranging from the semblance of a silver bell to a deep-toned organ, was a delight. None of the trio, having impeccable musical taste, outdoes the other. The flute is played by George Barrere, a Frenchman of classical training and expressive interpretation, and the 'cello by Paul Kefer, who showed a rare finger technique and a sense of proportion unusual in an artist who knows himself to be actually in the rank of virtuoso. The trio played the Second Concerto of Rameau, in the atmosphere of the seventeenth century, when it was written, and their modern Russian numbers, of which there were three, went with equal success. There were three encores for the trio; a Tambourin of Rameau, Serenade of Saint-Saens, and of Minuet of Salenzin.

The only other concert to be given here by Miss Gates and the Lutece trio will take place at Trinity Auditorium on Saturday afternoon with a completely different programme.

DIVORCES PRO-GERMAN.

Wife of William Kretzschmar Gets Alimony and Children.

Mrs. Marguerite Kretzschmar was granted a divorce, $40 a month alimony and the custody of the children, in her suit against William Kretzschmar before Judge Houser yesterday.

Among other things Mrs. Kretzschmar charged her husband with being pro-German, and, owing to his alleged pro-German utterances in public, she was humiliated and suffered mentally, she said. He denied the charge.

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NOT SO HAPPY.

If all the clairvoyants are to be banished from the community it may be hard to find that happy medium so much desired.

IN THE BRUSH.

Advices from Holland are that the Kaiser is now raising a fine stand of gray whiskers. That beats hell—we mean raising whiskers beats raising hell after the old-time Kaiser form.

SAFETY FIRST.

Among the comedies of the plague was a big touring car journeying Pasadenaward yesterday with two large Airedales in the tonneau. Each animal had his muzzle fetchingly draped with a white gauze flu mask. Even their bark was strained, but at least they were not going to be pinched for violating any of the laws or ordinances of the Crown City.

EVERYBODY KNOCKS.

Likewise the Illinois primary law doesn't seem to set well about the need of the people and the Solons there are wrestling with the problem of its amendment. The Illinois law is not the freak affair under which California groans, but it is nevertheless cumbersome and unsatisfactory, and sensible voters chafe under it. But it is hard to find relief from the bunch grass politician.

IN THE PICTURES.

Once again we are to have practical proof that color photography is an easy adjunct to moving-pictures. It is sure to come and will be a great thing when it arrives, but in such of the pictures as have the greatest popularity today this improvement of the art would not materially swell the door receipts. Dramas may be built from color once in a while, but not often. Color photography will be a popular curiosity—until it is common.

CROOKED MINDS.

Down in Mexico the Germans have been trying to make the natives believe that Germany never lost the war and that the Teuton fleet is still a fighting unit. Probably some of them are seeking to convince the peons that President Wilson has been taken to Europe as a prisoner of war and that the Kaiser will hold him hostage for the return of his favorite brewery. Somehow or other the German mind cannot comprehend the use of truth in dealing with the people of another nation. It is hard to figure out any advantage to be found in a misrepresentation or denial of great and unalterable facts, but the grooved brain of the Prussian finds policy in it somehow and it seems impossible to awaken him to its fallacies.

MAKING UP THE DEFICIT.

In one of the States which recently voted dry and in which municipal taxes have a constitutional limitation, an act is now being pressed to completion which will permit a bond issue and special taxation for fire prevention purposes. The necessity for this lies in the fact that in most of the cities the saloon licenses just about paid the expenses of the fire department. With no other funds available it has been found necessary to close some of the fire stations and in several cities the fire insurance rates were advanced for this reason. The revenue derived from the manufacture and sale of liquor amounted to an enormous sum. Whether it was "blood money" or not, the fact remains that it will have to be made up some way in the readjustment processes. Possibly the day will come when some statesman will be radical enough to suggest a programme of official economy and retrenchment.

TALKING OF NO TALKER.

Despite the fabled reticence of Col. House, the encomiums pronounced by Count von Bernstorff on the occasion of his reported death indicate that, at times, he talks not wisely, but too much. Col. House has been the sphinx of the Wilson administration. He is reported to be qualified to hold his tongue in seven languages, and for that reason he has been regarded as an ideal diplomatic agent. Some of his admiring friends have even gone to the extreme of proposing him for the President's successor. The Democrats of the South will make a supreme effort to elect a southerner to succeed President Wilson, and Col. House has been their one best bet. But imagine the handicap of a Presidential candidate whom Von Bernstorff eulogizes as the most honest pacifist that ever existed and deplores deeply "that I did not see this dear friend once more." The man who "fought to the last to keep America out of war" when Germany was making a sport of justice and a mockery of morality is not likely to be the first choice of the American people for President. Von Bernstorff probably lied; but there is a continental saying to the effect that the stain of the lies of Berlin and the mud of Paris never comes out.

INTO THE MELTING POT.

It has been previously pointed out in The Times that if the Peace Conference is to result in anything, a great many claims of European nations must go into the melting pot, there to be boiled down into a harmonious flux. No flux, no peace of permanence.

Sober reflection reveals that it will be a very full and a very busy melting pot.

Ethnologically, geographically, industrially, the affairs of Europe are amazingly involved in a great assortment of difficulties and cross purposes.

Italy, for instance, is very anxious to become a power of paramount importance in the Mediterranean; neither France nor England can well afford to allow her to do so.

France has no wish to have another frontier to guard as she guarded the German frontier for forty years at what expense of money and resources! England can ill afford to have a very strong power dominating the sea which she has to traverse to maintain her route to India, Australia, China and South Africa.

Italy also comes in strong conflict with other and smaller countries.

Italy feels that it is absolutely vital to her future safety that she control the Aegean Sea—this for the reason that the Italian east coast is low and almost defenseless to attack from this water. In no way can she control the Aegean except by owning or controlling the opposite banks—in other words, Albania, Istria and Montenegro.

This, you see, comes in direct conflict with the new Jugo-Slav dream of empire.

There are obvious reasons why some of the great powers do not wish to have Austria absolutely snuffed out as a power. If Italy succeeds in her ambition to dominate the Aegean, it means that Austria absolutely ceases as a sea power; her only port will be bottled up if not actually taken away. Thus will she be turned hungrily toward the Balkans. A proceeding for which the Balkan states have no enthusiasm.

The Balkans themselves, of course, are a turmoil of conflicting ideas and emotions. Bulgaria has always held to the dream of making a new empire out of the Balkan states with herself as the head of it.

Rumania is in conflict with Bulgaria over the possession of the Dobrudja, which gives access to the ports of the Black Sea and so to the markets of the world.

Serbia has still another dream. Poland and the new country in the Ukraine come into the mass with definite and conflicting ideas of their own.

We need not go into these entanglements, however, to find material for the melting pot.

Greece is a strident and discordant voice in the assembly. She is afraid of being squashed to death. The interests of Greece are in danger from the developments of nearly all the other powers.

Italy has to shove Greece out of the way to accomplish what she has set out to do. In order to protect her imperial routes from the depredations of the future, England would like to possess the Dardanelles. As this is probably out of the question, the next best thing for England is to hold certain strategic points which control the approach to the Dardanelles. In order to hold these places, Greece's hopes have to be stepped on.

The greatest conflict in European diplomacy is between the interests of Russia and England.

It was always asserted that some sort of agreement had been entered into before the war between the Slavic and British governments. But what of these agreements now? Who and what is the Russian government, and what can be expected of it? The reason for the conflict of interest between these two great powers is India. For many reasons, mostly military, India is the pearl of great price to England. Without her, the chain of empire would be broken. And Russia stands right at the door of India, a constant and ever-living menace; England is, herself, a long way off.

This condition brings about another conflict. Persia sighs to become a decent, civilized country. Neither England nor Russia has ever been willing to let civilization get started there; if they did so a strong, modernized Persia could dictate to both England and Russia, because she would hold the key to the India situation.

When we get to Africa, the international chorus becomes a wild ki-yi, in which the small but insistent voices of Portugal and Belgium become heard.

And as we approach the Orient, we step softly indeed in face of the sweeping demands of Japan for a future—a future that will step over the vital interests of nearly every country in Europe, not to mention America.

That the great and busy melting pot should fuse all these conflicting elements into a just and righteous settlement, is a very large expectation—but The Times harbors it. The world is coming out of the Peace Conference with a new set of standards, brother. The same spirit that conquered the Germans will overcome the difficulties of Versailles.

TO PENALIZE ANARCHY.

Senator Chamberlin of Los Angeles has introduced a bill at Sacramento forbidding the display within the State of the flags or emblems of any country or association that professes "principles or theories of government antagonistic to the Constitution and the laws of the United States." This bill aims to check the open proselyting of Bolshevist and anarchist agents. It is similar to a bill introduced in the Federal House of Representatives by Congressman Osborne. It carries the indorsement of the Sons of the Revolution and other patriotic societies. While the provisions of the bill may be evaded through the subterfuges of the organized propagandists of lawlessness, its passage would serve notice to these undesirables that it is the intent of the people of the State to put a check on the preaching of lawlessness and sedition. It is becoming a recognized principle of law that he who urges another to commit a felony is himself guilty of a crime. The time has come when the forces of lawlessness must be met fearlessly and openly by the forces of good government; for a little fire unchecked may grow into a vast conflagration.

Of the crop of 1918 in the United States it is estimated that seven of the cereals represent a value of almost eight billion dollars. That means the farmers of America have been speeding up production and that their bank accounts are more than usually plethoric.

The Tables Turned.

FOR A REFORMED PRIMARY.

Senator Rominger of Long Beach has introduced at Sacramento a bill providing for the return to the convention system of holding primaries in California. His act provides two methods of selecting candidates. They could still be nominated by petition, as at present, but machinery is also provided for their selection at a party convention. The Rominger primary bill provides further than no candidate can receive more than one party nomination and that the provisions regulating the campaign expenses of candidates shall either be made more stringent or wholly eliminated.

While some of the provisions of Senator Rominger's bill may be of doubtful utility, the act as a whole is as much superior to the present direct primary law as the Constitution of the United States is to that of Germany. The object of the Rominger primary act is to enable the electors of the State to give free and intelligent expression to their choice of candidates, while the present law is enacted for the patent purpose of enabling a single machine to control the nominations of all parties. Gov. Stephens himself deplored the provisions of the present act, which practically assured his election in the primaries by barring a Democratic candidate for Governor from the State ballot, although 150,000 votes had been cast for Democratic candidates in the primaries. The Governor recommended in his message to the Legislature this year that the unjust and unfair provisions of the primary law, which enabled one party to bar the nominees of another party from the ballot, be repealed. But the Governor's recommendation would cut off only a single tentacle of the octopus, while Senator Rominger proposes total extermination.

California's election laws have been the sport of designing politicians for the last ten years. Abuses had crept into the old convention system, and The Times was one of the first newspapers in the State to expose them. These abuses could have been remedied by honest and courageous legislators without destroying the whole system; but a coterie of politicians, looking for sinecures, made use of the abuses to secure the repeal of the convention plan and the substitution of a closed primary system, making it impossible for the members of any party to unite on a candidate and promulgate a platform before the primaries are held. After the primaries the platforms are made by the candidates; ridiculously enough, members of a party, who are not running for office, can have no part in framing the party platform. As the last primary election showed, it is possible for the members of one party to disqualify by their votes the candidate selected by another party. Such encroachment of party on party in the primaries leads only to confusion and corruption; but it is nevertheless the law.

There has been method in the apparent madness of California's primary election laws. It is the same method that caused Lenine and his followers to look on with complacency while labor and industry were ruined in Russia and millions came to their death through starvation and violence. While the nation was wrecked Lenine and his fellows were reaping a rich harvest of salvage. That is what took place in California. Labor and industry have been penalized while the Jolly Roger of the payroll brigade has floated jauntily in the breeze. While industry has languished these satraps have waxed exceeding fat and arrogant, and the secret of their strength is to be found in the provisions of a primary law which make it almost impossible to elect a Legislature that is not tongue-tied and pledged in advance to continue the rule of the Forty Fat Commissions.

Republican and Democratic leaders agree that there should be a return to some form of primary convention that will enable the voters of each party to weigh and sift their primary candidates. But these leaders are not members of the Legislature. It is a well-known fact that nearly all the big men in both parties are in private life in California, while the little ones who have to be led because they have not learned to walk alone are elected to office. A weak Legislature is the surest sign of a strong political machine; for the machine selects only men for office whose votes it can control.

Los Angeles broke away from the machine in the last State election and sent to the Legislature a delegation made up largely of independent legislators. But Los Angeles county elects less than one-fifth of the whole Legislature and the independents are outnumbered at Sacramento more than two to one. Lieut.-Gov. Young has already sounded the defiance of the machine to the independents who are seeking to secure a return to the convention system. He claims to have twenty-five votes in the Senate pledged against any amendment of the direct primary law which would bring back either conventions or party platforms. Mr. Young and his friends have prospered beyond their fondest expectations under the present law, and they are not going to help knife the goose that lays their golden eggs.

From the political gangster's point of view the present direct primary law is an admirable one; but the great majority of the voters in California are not politicians and they are demanding a primary law that will give them a voice in the selection of a State government. They have the votes, but the machine has the works. For five successive elections the cunning of the politicians has triumphed over the good intent of the electorate at large. It is possible that Mr. Young will be able to block the passage of a reform primary law, just as he blocked the passage of the bill to prevent members of the Legislature from holding salaried State offices. But he and his satraps should remember what happened to that bill when an appeal was made over their heads to the people; and the same machinery which forced that salary bill down their throats is available to secure the adoption of a reformed primary.

GERMAN TOO MUCH FOR IT.

Here is one a returned American doughboy tells:

Over in Southern France they have a first cousin to the good old American skunk that for aromatic possibilities ranks right up alongside its American cousin. Two soldiers, an Englishman and a French Poilu, and a German prisoner working near by got to discussing the potentialities of the animal and rather scoffed at the reputation given it in the public mind. To settle the matter they made a pool, the one who could stay longest with the "smell-cat" in a close dugout, to take the pot.

The Frenchman stood it thirty minutes, but came out with eyes streaming and gasping for breath. Then the Englishman with bulldog tenacity stuck it out for thirty-five minutes, but collapsed as he staggered from the door. Then the German tried it and in less than two minutes' the civet cat ran out.—[Columbus Dispatch.

LABOR'S SCRAP OF PAPER.

Union labor demands collective bargaining. New York City made a collective bargain with union labor for operating the municipal ferries. These ferry employees are on a sympathetic strike to help the employees of private boat owners, and have violated their collective bargain. What is the use of making such an agreement if these public servants treat it as "a scrap of paper?" They do not pretend to have any cause of complaint. They are inconveniencing their employers, the citizens of this city, without the slightest excuse. Thousands will be glad to enter the civil service of this city on the terms they have enjoyed and the city authorities should take this opportunity to teach all civil service employees that they must be loyal to the city instead of to their trade unions when the two come in conflict. No other city pays its servants of all classes so well as does New York.—[New York Commercial.

HER OCCUPATION GONE.

Mrs. Henry Speck of Constantine, rang the bell on the Methodist Church fifty-three years ago as the first tidings of the end of the Civil War. She rang it again at the end of our war with Spain, and only the other day she announced the end of the world war with the same bell. It seems too bad for a woman to form a habit like this just at a time when, for another thousand years or so, there aren't going to be any more wars to end.—[Detroit News.

STATE BABIES.

Well, we see that the children born hereafter in Russia are to be the property of the state and it will be interesting to note how the little boys' noses behave in cold weather under strict Federal supervision and control.—[Ohio State Journal.

DIVIDE THE WORLD INTO PEACE ZONES.

Suggestion of ex-President Taft for Effectuating League of Nations.

BY WILLIAM HOWARD TAFT.

The expressions at the Peace Conference of President Poincare and Premier Clemenceau in reference to the league of nations and the published rules of the congress are reassuring to those who look for the growth of an effective and real league out of the situation. The French leaders see clearly and say with emphasis that we have a league of nations now and that it must be maintained in order to achieve the purpose of the war. The circumstances of the struggle forced the Allies into an inter-Allied council and then into a common command of the armies under Foch. But for that the war might not have been won. Now the situation after the peace will be so complicated and critical that similar unity of action between the five great nations who fought the war will be necessary to enable them and the world to enjoy the fruits of the victory and the hardly-won peace.

The rules of the congress recognize that the five great nations, Great Britain, France, Italy, Japan and the United States, are the ones which have an interest in all the issues coming before the congress as guardians of the welfare of the world, made so by the logic of their winning the war. They are thus established as the initiating nucleus of a world union, as the charter members of a league of nations.

How can the objects and purposes of the fourteen points, especially those directed to rearranging the map of Eastern and Central Europe and Asia Minor, be achieved and carried to peaceful realization except through a league of nations embracing five great powers? No one opposed to the league of nations ideas has essayed to answer this very practical question. The Paris conference is confronted with it and must answer it suggestively by making the league of nations the first subject for discussion. Premier Clemenceau said:

"The league of nations is here. It is for you to make it live."

Senator Lodge in his speech fully recognized the existence of the league of great nations in the war and the necessity for its continuance. Indeed it is probable that if Senator Knox and Mr. Beck were cross examined their admissions would show them to be not very far removed from the view that something substantially equivalent to a league of great nations must be definitely formed by this congress with agreed upon means of enforcing the stipulated rules.

The Associated Press informs us that a league of nations is in the forming but that the super-sovereignty of an international police force is to be rejected as part of it. This negation is not very helpful. Except in Tennyson's poetic vision and in the plans of impracticables no such suggestion as super-sovereignty has been advanced. The proposed structure of the league, common to the plans proposed officially by the French and English commissions on the subject and by our own official league to enforce peace, embraces a court, a council of conciliation, an administrative branch to carry on international trusts like the government of Constantinople and an executive council. It further includes an agreement on the part of the great nations to combine forces when an exigency arises either to compel warring nations to submit differences to the court or conciliating council, or to go further and to enforce the judgment and deal with the recommendations of the council of conciliation as may be deemed wise by the executive council of the league.

Most opponents of the league idea have assumed that the so-called international police is to be a permanent body under an international commander and subject to orders with out invoking consent of the nations contributing to the force. This is a great misconception. A potential international police force will be created by an agreement of the great nations to furnish forces when necessary to accomplish a legitimate purpose of the league. In most instances no actual force will need to be raised. The existence of an agreement and confidence that the nations will comply with it is all that will be needed. Nations who have judgments against them in a court of the nations will generally perform them. It will only be where defiances of such judgments will lead to a dangerous war that the league force need be raised.

Of course, during the interval after the conclusion of peace, the possibility of differences and the danger of Bolshevism may require a retention of some of the war army strength of the Allies to see the treaty through to its effective execution. But after normal times come again the strength of the league to secure compliance with the treaty obligations and justice will not be in its serried columns but in its potential power under the joint agreement.

If the convenient division of the world into zones in which the respective great powers shall undertake the responsibility of seeing to it that members of the league conform to the rules laid down by the treaty, it will be unnecessary for any nation to send forces to a distant quarter. The United States can properly take care of the Western Hemisphere and need not maintain in normal times a military establishment more extensive than she ought to maintain for domestic use and the proper maintenance of the Monroe Doctrine without such a league. This may be well supplied, not by a professional army, but by a system of universal training on democratic principles like that in Switzerland or New Zealand. If this be conscription its opponents may make the most of it. It will help our boys in discipline of character and in a most useful educational way. It will provide for the prompt display of democratic power to achieve justice. The picture painted by Senator Borah of the army of the United States needed for the purposes of the league is the result of a lively imagination but does not find support in the real need of the league.

PROBLEMS OF THE RETURNED SOLDIER.

BY WILLIAM M'ADOO.

(The Distinguished Statesman, Now a Guest of Southern California, Writes in "Association Men.")

Returning to America, our soldiers are confronted with the cold, hard fact that they must make a living and must carve for themselves places in the industrial, commercial and professional world. They will face problems more difficult than those they met and solved in the trenches.

They will not have the inspiration of patriotism exalted by the near approach of battle and sanctified by death and suffering. They will not feel the touch of a comrade's hand at every turn, but, on the contrary, will be faced by sordid competition and by all the old evils from which they were temporarily separated by grim war. To many the situation will be new and strange.

When a grateful country has welcomed them home, after they have enjoyed the festivities prepared in their honor, they will look around, trying to find the best place into which they can fit. The war will have suggested new and more inviting fields of endeavor for thousands. Many who before the war had been satisfied with the drudgery of life will not care to go back into that kind of work again. They will try to interpret into real life their trench dreams, they will try to give bone and tissue to their battlefield visions.

No one can blame these men if they return with larger views of life, its opportunities and responsibilities, but to them I say that they must be as true to their country and to themselves now as when they faced the enemy in the trenches. With the same fidelity evidenced in the performance of their military tasks, they should fulfill their civil obligations, and then these will not prove irksome.

There need be no fear of the future of these boys if they remain true to the principles for which they offered their lives. But they must exercise the same steadfast courage, the same unwavering faith, the same devotion to high ideals, which characterized their military life if their civil life is to be distinguished by any worthy achievement.

I want every one of them to achieve success in civil pursuits as they have won renown in their military career. But by success, I do not mean the making of much money, nor the making of a great name in politics, law, medicine or commerce. Success is obtained when a man fills his place worthily, lives a clean life and leaves to his children the heritage of an untainted name.

Among the more than 2,000,000 young men who went to France, the great majority will pass out of existence without making any noticeable impression on the world. A few names will live in history; their glory will never grow dim. Yet no one will say that the private who will never be heard of again except in a limited circle did not achieve success. His success was just as real, just as tangible, and just as necessary to the success of the commander-in-chief.

The first duty of all who love the returning soldier is carefully to pilot him through the quicksands that will beset him as he tries to adapt himself to the new conditions with which he must wrestle. Sentiment is all well enough; the man without emotion may properly be classed as at least abnormal, but in meeting the returning soldier problem it is necessary to do some cool thinking.

I do not fear that he will be left without occupation or that he will suffer want or lack of things essential to his comfort, but the utmost care should be exercised, not only in seeking suitable jobs but suitable environment. The Railroad Administration will see to it that the men who were in the employ of the roads before going abroad, are given back their old positions, and their line of seniority will be unbroken. As far as the railroads are concerned, the door is wide open. I believe this is true of hundreds of other corporations and individual employers.

In general, society's attitude toward the returning soldier will be that of intelligent appreciation of the real sacrifices he has made. But among some there is a tendency to "pity the poor fellows." This the manly wearers of American khaki indignantly resent.

Society's duty is what I might term a constructive duty. I mean that society should see in this vast army of home-comers an opportunity for real service. They are not seeking for sympathy. They are returning to a country for which they fought, for which they suffered privations and for which they were willing to die.

They have a right to expect that we will open our hearts to them, and that we will withhold no legitimate opportunity for service from them. They are willing to take their places in the line, to await their chance to serve. Let us see that they are not put out of line by persons less worthy, by shirkers and slackers.

The boys who are coming home will be an inspiration to us in our efforts to make the best of a world that has suffered a baptism of blood. Now are we wise enough, resourceful enough, frank enough to apply properly the lessons which their return will teach?

In some circles, the complaint is made that with the return of the soldiers the labor market will be filled to overflowing. I am glad that this narrow view prevails only in a very limited circle and that its influence is by no means alarming. Every returned soldier is an asset. He adds to the real wealth of the nation. It is inconceivable that a strong, sober, healthy man can be a burden to a nation or a drug on the market. He is a producer, and producing men are more needed today than in any period in the country's history.

PEN POINTS

BY THE STAFF.

Not a bit too early to [illegible] income tax.

Wonder if Henry Ford [illegible] that anybody can run a [illegible]

The National [illegible] held in February—[illegible] bonnspiel is. You can [illegible]

Nineteen church [illegible] Philadelphia will have a [illegible] a sort of entente [illegible] speak.

The Presidential [illegible] Pershing is still tied to a [illegible] front of the corner [illegible] Laclede, Mo.

President Wilson will [illegible] Brussels carpet next [illegible] should be a great [illegible] Brussels sprouts, also.

The management of the [illegible] Russia is to be left to the [illegible] that nation. Therefore the [illegible] make they must lie in.

What has become of the [illegible] Supreme Court decision [illegible] fect that the prohibition [illegible] unconstitutional?

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HELP THEM FORGET.

The poppy plants our boys [illegible]
In Flanders' fields are [illegible]
While those that we [illegible]
hold,
And love so well are [illegible]

Red tokens war, a [illegible]
Such wars, please God, [illegible]
more.
Red poppies will always [illegible]
Our boys of [illegible]

So when through fields of [illegible]
gold
They roam, as in the days [illegible]
With sweetheart, [illegible]
wife,
Help them forget those [illegible]
strife.

Help them forget those [illegible]
And guide their thoughts [illegible]
ger ways
By purest love and [illegible]
Surely to this [illegible]

San Diego, Jan. 20.

Latest New
MEXICAN COTTON GROWERS HIT
Mexican Raises Export Duty to $30 a Bale.
Buyers not Bidding for Baja California Crop.
Nearly 20,000 Bales Unsold Now at Mexicali.
[Local Correspondence.]
MEXICALI, Jan. 23.—Imports of cotton from Lower California, especially at a standstill following the announcement of a new rule that the export duty on cotton has been increased from $7 a bale to $30 a bale. Efforts are being made to verify the announcement in Mexico City and meanwhile buyers refuse to bid for the Lower California product. [illegible] Esteban Cantu of the Northern District of Lower California has wired to have telegraphed the Mexican government for full information regarding the new duty. A telegram received by a Calexico man said that the increased duty had gone into effect January 7. It is expressed by local cotton men that the new ruling does not apply to Lower California, because of the peculiar situation in reference to the mainland. The American consul at Mexicali is active in obtaining information on the subject. More than $1,000,000 was loaned cotton planters in Lower California by Southern California banking [illegible]. Nearly 20,000 bales of cotton are said to remain unsold on the Mexican side of the line pending outcome of the investigation regarding the export duty. Numerous inquiries and protests are being made to Senators Connor and the State Department in Washington in order to get quick action in reducing the export duty to $7 as found to apply to the Mexicali district. A report received here says that the increase in the duty followed application made by interests operating large cotton mills in Mexico City to assure a supply of fiber for the use of the mills. This report has not been fully verified.
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The Highest
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Commercial—Saving
Federal Branch—2201

PEN POINTS.

BY THE STAFF.

Not a bit too early to figure your income tax.

Wonder if Henry Ford now thinks that anybody can run a newspaper.

The National Bonnspiel is to be held in February—whatever a bonnspiel is. You can search me.

Nineteen church organizations in Philadelphia will have a federation, a sort of entente cordiale, so to speak.

The Presidential boom of General Pershing is still tied to a post in front of the corner grocery in Laclede, Mo.

President Wilson will step onto the Brussels carpet next Monday. It should be a great occasion for the Brussels sprouts, also.

The management of the affairs of Russia is to be left to the people of that nation. Therefore the bad things make they must lie in.

What has become of that Texas Supreme Court decision to the effect that the prohibition law was unconstitutional?

After all, the trip of President Wilson to Europe is nothing to get crazy about. Mrs. Wilson is having a good time, and that ought to hold the kickers.

Champ Clark says he wants his son brought back from Germany. There are so many things Champ wants that he doesn't get—that situation, f'instance.

The California commissioners appear to be like the water snakes used to find in the creeks. It is impossible to place them here or there but until after sundown.

Secretary Baker is said to desire to return to his long suffering practice in Cleveland, O. Everybody in favor of the motion will indicate the same by saying aye. The ayes have it.

Imagine a band of dollar bills 2 feet wide going entirely around the earth, and you have a good estimate of the money cost of the war. That is enough to lift a meat dealer out of the game.

The Irish have appealed to the world for support in the organization of their new republic. Recalling that when the world appealed to the Irish in the great war, it was given the frosted mitt.

News Note—President Wilson and Washington will be entertained next week-end by the London Town Council on February 3. We presume the table will fairly groan under the weight of good things.

The Warren Gamaliel Harding Presidential boom is putting on the swaddling clothes. Ohio ought to have something; she has not furnished a Republican candidate since the Presidency since 1912.

The Department of Agriculture is urging the making of "war gardens" during 1919. Did you notice how the prices of all garden stuff dropped when the gardens were in evidence last summer? No; well, that is funny, but neither did we.

In handling matters at the peace table, with an arrangement between Wilson, George and Poincaré, we hope the old rule against two of one's partner's ace will hold good. With the trio there ought to be a great chance to do a bit of wholesale sawing.

Isn't it wonderful how quickly Hon. James H. Mann recovered his health after it appeared that the Republicans had carried the House? With a suddenness like the unexpected appearance of Daniel Cupid Mr. Mann comes bounding through the window.

The ex-Kaiser is reported as writing in all his time-writing, but nobody seems to know what he is writing about. He is pretty near withdrawing his name before the Democratic National Convention in Germany, as a candidate for the Presidency.

Many eloquent tributes have been paid to the memory of Colonel Roosevelt, the American, but the one by Hon. Franklin K. Lane, Secretary of the Interior, is the acme of good taste, a panegyric that will live, in less than 200 words making a human document. We did not suppose Lane had it in him to write so cleverly.

California will have a state employment committee to see that the troopers are given work. Any man who shouldered a gun in defense of the nation or was a member of her naval establishment should be idle; but it might be well to recall the fact that previous to the war there were many idle men, despite the severe measure to the repeal of the tariff laws by Congress, that established the field of employment. It is profitable to think of these things as we journey through this vale of tears.

HELP THEM FORGET.

The poppy plants our boys have seen
In Flanders' fields are red and green.
While those that we at home behold,
And love so well, are green and gold.

Red tokens war, a bloody war!
Such wars, please God, will be no more.
Red poppies will always remind
Our boys of comrades left behind.

So when through fields of poppies red and gold
They roam, as in the days of old,
With sweetheart, or with pal, or wife,
Help them forget those days of strife.

Help them forget those bloody days,
And guide their thoughts in other ways
By purest love and tend'rest care
Surely to this they've fallen heir.

F. H. RAY.

San Diego, Jan. 20.

Latest News from South of Tehachepi's Top.

MEXICAN COTTON GROWERS HIT

... Raises Export Duty to $30 a Bale.

... Not Bidding for Baja California Crop.

... 20,000 Bales Unsold, Now at Mexicali.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

MEXICO, Jan. 23.—Importations from Lower California practically at a standstill following announcement of a new full-rate export duty on cotton of $30 a bale increased from $7 a bale ... Efforts are being made to verify the announcement ... Mexico City and meanwhile buying is at a standstill for the Lower California product.

Rodolfo Cantu of the Northern States of Lower California is reported to have telegraphed the federal government for full information regarding the new duty. A telegram received by a Calexico cotton man says that the increased duty ... went into effect January 7, ... considered by local cotton men that the new ruling does not affect Lower California, because ... existing situation in reference to cotton. The American consul at Ensenada is active in obtaining information on the subject. ... Nearly $9,000,000 was loaned ... cotton planters in Lower California ... Northern California banking ... $1,000,000 was loaned to ... to remain unsold on ... side of the line pending ... of the investigation re... export duty.

... inquiries and protests ... made to Senators, Congressmen and the State Department ... in order to get quick ... reducing the export duty ... to apply to the Mexicali ... A report received here says ... increase in the duty ... application made by interests ... large cotton mills in Mexico ... assure a supply of fiber ... of the mills. This report ... not fully verified.

CAPT. REED HAS LONG JOY RIDE.

Pilots Steamer Edgefield Over Columbia River Bar; Unable to Disembark.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

LOS ANGELES HARBOR, Jan. 23.—Capt. J. Reed, bar pilot at the mouth of the Columbia River, arrived here today on a long involuntary joy-ride. Capt. Reed took the new Shipping Board steamer Edgefield over the bar at Astoria last Friday, and the sea was so rough that the pilot boat was unable to take him off.

The Edgefield is bound for New York, and this is her only port of call between here and Astoria. She came in here for fuel and to put Capt. Reed ashore. Before returning to his Oregon home, Capt. Reed will spend a few days visiting old friends at this port.

BEGIN NEW HIGHWAY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

BRAWLEY, Jan. 23.—Construction of the Brawley-Indio highway, twenty-eight miles long, and to connect with the end of the present paved road at Kane Springs, is to start immediately. An assistant engineer of the State Highway Commission has arrived, accompanied by construction foremen, and has hired men and animals for preliminary work.

SHIP IMPERIAL LETTUCE.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

IMPERIAL, Jan. 23.—The first carload of lettuce from this vicinity left here last night for Chicago. The crop is reported good, though somewhat light on account of the early and succeeding heavy frosts. There are 150 acres of lettuce here. The yield is expected to fill sixty cars.

MOVIE MAN PASSES.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

OXNARD, Jan. 23.—Fred M. Lorello, pioneer motion-picture show man of this city, died Wednesday of pneumonia. Mr. Lorello was a member of the firm of Douthwaite & Lorello, who own the three motion-picture theaters of Oxnard. He is survived by his widow and a small son.

The Tallest Building
The Highest Interest
4¼% AND SAFETY
HIBERNIAN BUILDING
FOURTH & SPRING
Hibernian Savings Bank
Commercial—Savings—Second Floor
Federal Branch—2201 North Broadway

FLU ORDINANCE IS REPUGNANT.

Pasadenans Circulate Petitions for Repeal.

Masks Drive Tourists Away, Declares Visitor.

Twelve New Cases of Malady, Yesterday's Report.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PASADENA, Jan. 23.—Petitions calling upon the City Commission to repeal the influenza mask law were put in circulation today. They are being very largely signed. One cigar stand having one of them reports that forty out of the first forty-four men who read it attached their signatures.

The petition recites that the purpose of the ordinance has utterly failed, that it is only an experimental measure at the best, that it has been so declared by the State Board of Health, that business has been brought to a standstill, and that the city will suffer a reputation to tourists and others that will take many years to overcome.

Ten people were fined $2 to $5 each by Judge F. C. Dunham in Police Court this morning for mask ordinance violations. The $2 fines were for those who wore masks but did not have their noses covered. Yesterday in these cases the fines were $1. The court announced that fines for similar violations would be raised a dollar a day as long as the ordinance remains in effect. He has been opposed to the ordinance since the beginning, but says as long as it is on the books fines will be imposed on those arrested.

DRIVES TOURISTS AWAY.

Col. John Lambert of Joliet, Ill., noted financier and president of the American Steel and Wire Company at the time it was absorbed by the United States Steel Corporation, arrived in the city today and is at his Orange Grove-avenue home for the winter. He is accompanied by Mrs. Lambert and several friends.

"Pasadena did herself irreparable harm when she adopted the influenza mask ordinance," said Col. Lambert today. "On our train alone there were eighteen or twenty tourists coming to Pasadena. When they learned of the mask law they became alarmed, and most of them did not get off here at all.

"Eastern people went through a great deal worse epidemic than has been experienced here in Southern California, but they had no experience with masks, except in a very few isolated instances. When they hear of a whole city masking, they are badly frightened and will not listen to argument. I know this from personal observation and experience. I have been closely in touch with men here in Pasadena, and knew before I came that the influenza epidemic here is nothing compared to what it was and is in eastern cities, but I had a hard time convincing even my own personal friends that I knew what I was talking about.

"Pasadena will lose an immense amount of tourist business so long as the ordinance remains effective. Actually, some people on our train were so scared when they heard of the masks that they talked of returning East immediately."

Col. Lambert predicts that during the next few years the United States will enjoy a greater period of prosperity than the nation has ever before experienced. He says there will be no immediate reduction in wages, and that they will not be lowered until the cost of living goes down to a corresponding degree. He looks for a very heavy trade between the United States and almost all other countries of the world, and is of the opinion that Southern California will feel great benefits from trade relations between the United States, South America and the Orient.

FEW CASES REPORTED.

Only twelve new influenza cases were reported by the health department up to 5 o'clock this afternoon. The daily total has shown a decrease for the past eight days.

VOTERS TO CHOOSE.

An opportunity to vote on all sites deemed suitable for the proposed memorial hall, including city-owned property and sites which may be purchased, possibly will be given the voters by the City Commission, which will meet tomorrow morning to frame the form of ballot for the bond election and to set the date for holding it.

Ask President Bovard of the University of Southern California what Arrowhead Springs has done for him. —[Advertisement.

To Cure a Cold in One Day
Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE (Tablets). It stops the Cough, and Headache, and works off the Cold. E. W. GROVE'S signature on each box. 30c.

Better Values
In Men's Shoes
$5.00
$6.50
$7.50
$8.50
The new Staub Boot Shop at 708 So. Broadway features very exceptional values in shoes for men at $5.00, $6.50, $7.50 and $8.50.
It is a boot shop for men—a shop of real service, and real values.
Superior shoe repairing by Staub's own experts.
Staub's Boot Shop
708 S. BROADWAY
Lankershim Hotel

GREATHOUSE IS POMONA LEADER.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

CLAREMONT, Jan. 23.—Marvin Greathouse, for two years right guard on the Pomona College football varsity, has been chosen to pilot the team through the season of 1919. This announcement was made by retiring Capt. Morgan at a student body meeting on Wednesday. At this time football letters were presented to the following varsity players: Cooper, Smith, Rich, Denebrink, Stone and McClellan, and additional stripes to Morgan, Greathouse and Covington. Letters were also granted to five men who have left college for the service, Nisbit, Stover, Fuller, Holmes and Johns. Captain-elect Greathouse, in accepting his new honor, paid tribute to ex-Captain Morgan and to Coach Nixon.

MODERN APARTMENT TO REPLACE OLD LANDMARK

LOS ANGELES MAN FIGURES IN PURCHASE OF THE BAILEY PROPERTY AT BEACH.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

LONG BEACH, Jan. 23.—The Bailey home at No. 446 Locust avenue, one of Long Beach's landmarks, has been sold by Miss Mary Bailey to Irving H. Malin, a stockholder of the Home Savings Bank of Los Angeles, and Louis A. Bailey, for the reported consideration of $13,000. Louis A. Bailey, one of the purchasers, is a wealthy wholesale tire dealer of Salt Lake City, and a brother of Miss Mary Bailey. Malin is a nephew of Miss Bailey.

Twenty-five years ago H. C. Bailey bought two twenty-five-foot lots at No. 446 Locust avenue for $100 from the Long Beach Land and Water Company. A two-story ten-room house was erected on the front of the lots, while on the rear was erected the Bailey's family home. Miss Mary Bailey became the owner of the property when her father passed away. The purchasers of the property will erect on the site a costly apartment-house when the lease on the realty expires, in 1929.

The present structures were erected twenty years ago. The property is one of the few holdings which have been retained without sale since the original acquisition from the Long Beach Land and Water Company.

PICTURE SHOWS TO CLOSE.

The latest development in the influenza situation in this city is the fact that the picture theaters will close for a week following their last performance Friday evening. The theaters expect to reopen February 1.

To prevent crowding in the stores the merchants have agreed to employ special officers to patrol their places of business. All special sales will be eliminated until further notice, and the merchants have also decided not to advertise in the newspapers during the period in which the theaters are to remain closed.

BISHOP APPOINTS PASTOR.

Dr. Dillon Bronson has been appointed by Bishop Adna W. Leonard as supply pastor for the First M. E. Church pending the selection of a permanent pastor to succeed the Rev. J. A. Gelsinger. Dr. Bronson was superintendent of the Boston (Mass.) district for the Methodist church from 1911 to 1917. He was ordained in 1892 and has held charges in Brookline, Newton and other eastern cities.

Just when Dr. Bronson will assume the local pastorate is uncertain because of the influenza ban. The churches are to remain closed for at least two weeks.

OFFICERS RAID BARN; FIND BOYS WITH LOOT.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA ANA, Jan. 23.—In an early morning jubilee over their successes, a gang of four boys was surprised this morning in a barn on Baker street. Notes they were making at 3:30 aroused neighbors, and officers raided the place, taking into custody Frederick Cutler, 14; Earl Peer, 14; Harold Fickas, 15, and Jesse Fickas, 15.

A quantity of candy, cigarettes, tobacco, several new knives and a flashlight, which it is alleged, were stolen in recent burglaries, were recovered in the raid.

Police say the boys confessed to at least three petty burglaries. The boys were turned over to Probation Officer G. H. Scott and placed in the detention home.

World-famous Di-sodium Arsenate steam cave baths at Arrowhead Springs. Excellent cuisine.—[Advertisement.

SANTA ANA LICENSES.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA ANA, Jan 23.—Marriage licenses here: Earl L. Four, 22, and Marie J. Kennedy, 18, both of Los Angeles; Dan Melvin Collicotte, 22, Long Beach, and Lolita Murel Hubbell, 19, Los Angeles; Ferdinand George Moss, 21, and Georgia A. Courtney, 23, both of Los Angeles; Elias Edward Owens, 21, and Edna Frances Mickley, 18, both of Los Angeles; Pete Calles, 35, Stockton, and Helen M. Rife, 26, Bakersfield; Glenn Bartlett Kettlewell, 24, and Bertha Pederson, 26, both of Los Angeles; Albert B. Jones, 44, and Lois A. Timmons, 40, both of Los Angeles; Meade Hays, 43, and Jessie S. Rumsey, 42, both of Santa Ana.

TORRANCE ELECTION.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

TORRANCE, Jan. 23.—The Torrance Chamber of Commerce is planning the busiest year in the history of the organization for 1919. Officers elected for the coming year are: George Procter (re-elected,) president; Dr. W. J. Neeland, vice-president; A. H. Bartlett, financial secretary, and L. J. Smith, recording secretary. The advisory board consists of Hurum E. Reeve, chairman; C. A. Paxman and R. R. Smith. The new year will start out with a membership campaign.

Stop off en route north at Hotel Vendome, San Jose, in the "Valley of Heart's Delight;" 14 acres of beautiful grounds. Tourist headquarters. Chester W. Kelley, manager. —[Advertisement.

Coulter Dry Goods Co.
Founded in 1878.
Seventh Street at Olive

Save, in the January Linen Sales, Upon
Bedspreads, Table Linens, Napkins, Towels

$4 Linen Pillow Cases
Pure Belgian linen, hemstitched pillow cases, of exquisite quality. pr. $3.35

$18.00 Linen Sheets
Pure linen, hand-hemstitched sheets, 72x99; of hand-woven, grass bleached linen. ea. $15.65

$2.50 Tray Cloths
A very fine double damask in plain satin stripe and dot designs to choose from. ea. $1.95

$2.50 Linen Finished Table Damask, 70 in. wide, $1.95

$1.00 Bath Towels, ea.
—Martex quality; extra heavy woven towels. 75c

$6.00 Napkins, doz.
—20-inch napkins to match the special damask. $4.85

$3.50 Napkins, doz.
—20-inch hemmed mercerized napkins. $2.95

25c Crash, yard
—Linen weft; with neat blue border. 21c

25c Toweling, yard
—Red or blue check toweling for glass or silver. 21c

18c Crash, yard
—Unbleached kitchen crash; union linen. 16c

800 Sets of Fine Pure Linen in Beautiful Designs, All Reduced

75 Hand Embroidered Madeira Dresser Searfs, Sharply Reduced

$9.00 Bolster Sets
—Fine satin spread, nicely scalloped all around; cut corners, and bolster sham to match. ea. $7.50

$3 Dimity Bedspreads
—Crinkled dimity spreads; 72x90; extra good quality in these spreads. ea. $2.65

$12 Mosaic Napkins
—Mosaic drawnwork of the finest character, at very low January Sale prices. doz. $8.95

(Linens; Second Floor)

We Want Women to See These Stamped Aprons

For there are so very many attractive styles, on such pretty materials, that every woman who sees them will want to own one or more, we know!

Garden Aprons—with four pockets; in stencil pattern; were $1.25..... 95c

Lace-Trimmed Aprons—in white crash; were $1.25..... $1.00

Allover Aprons—of unbleached muslin, pockets across the bottom; were $1.25..... $1.00

Ready-Made Aprons—in white cotton crash, with pockets; were $1.25..... 95c

Fudge Aprons—in linen crash, with outline pattern, only..... 65c

Indian Head Aprons—in white; spoke hemstitched; with two pockets..... $1.00

Blue Gingham Aprons—butcher style; design to be done in white..... $1.25

(Art Needlework: Fourth Floor)

Select From Suits $27.75
Formerly Up to $45.00 at
Not because each suit is not fully worth what it was originally marked, but because clearance is imperative now. Shown in navy, wine, brown and plum serges and broadcloths; in mixtures and pin stripes—tailored in style, with some belted models of character.

Wool Jersey Dresses $21.75
Essential to every woman's wardrobe—ideal for early spring wear; plain or braid trimmed, as you prefer.
(Garments; Third Floor)

$15 Sweaters
$10.00
Opportune, certainly! Heavy wool sweaters with sailor collars, pockets and full belt; in all asked-for shades, including the serviceable oxford.
(Sweaters; Third Floor)

Sale of Warm Underwear
will bring to many people the underwear they need at the prices they can most easily pay:

Deimel Linen Mesh
Union Suits—high neck, short sleeves, ankle or knee, broken lines, were $6.50, now $4.50
Low neck, sleeveless or short sleeve vests; large sizes; ankle or knee pants, medium sizes, were $3.25..... $2.25
Children's pants, 3 and 4-year sizes, were $1.75 .....$1.25
Sizes 10 to 12 years, were $2.50 ..... $1.65
Boy's drawers, sizes 8 to 12; were $2.50 ..... $1.65

Vests
Fleece-lined; high neck, long sleeves; sizes 36 and 38; were $1 .....85c
Sizes 40, 42 and 44; were $1.25, for $1.00
Similar quality in ankle pants, 38, 40 and 42, same price.
(Knitwear; Main Floor)

Corsets
Cut 1/3
Good, desirable, fresh and many brand-new models in incomplete size ranges, back-lace corsets in La Grecque, Lily of France, La Vida, Regaliste and B. & J. and in front-lace models Redfern and La Camille.
Sizes somewhere or other from 19 to 36; in plain coutil, or pink and white fancy brocade; corsets ordinarily selling at $3.50 to $25.
Reduced One-Third
(Corsets; Third Floor)

The Spring Vogue
in Millinery
That certain degree of simplicity and distinctiveness which alone can make a hat thoroughly acceptable to the smartly-gowned woman is at its best in these beautiful new Spring arrivals.
Every newly-created fashion theme is developed with the originality and good taste that women have come to associate with the millinery of this store.
May we show you these creations?
(Millinery; Third Floor)

For Real Comfort
Knit Petticoats
In white, gray, blue, pink, red or black—some of them part wool, others all-wool, still another style of wool-and-silk combined. There are plain colors and models with fancy Roman stripe borders, and the prices are $1 to $4.
In warm gowns a model of white albatross is light in weight, and is a pajama style, bound with pink or blue ribbon.
You will surely like such a practical, yet dainty affair.
(Muslinwear; Third Floor)

COULTER'S—Seventh Street at Olive
Seventh Street at Olive—COULTER'S

ALHAMBRA NOW HAS WOMAN CITY CLERK.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

ALHAMBRA, Jan. 23.—Five applicants presented their qualification for City Auditor and City Clerk to the City Commission to fill the office just vacated by A. E. Johnson. Out of that number, which included Lillian E. Smith, D. L. Kemper, A. F. Scudder, Fred G. Stone and John Godfrey, Miss Smith was unanimously selected to fill the unexpired term. Still another vacancy remains to be filled, that of police judge, Judge J. H. Wellman handing in his resignation at the last Commission meeting. He recommended the appointment of H. S. Farrell. The matter was referred to the city manager. The request of County Supervisor Jonathan S. Dodge that a tax by the city against him for lot cleaning be canceled was denied.

RED CROSS REPORT.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA MONICA BEACH, Jan. 23.—The report of the local chapter of Red Cross shows a large increase in resources over the past year. In 1917 the receipts were $7668.93, with expenditures of $5668.93. The receipts in 1918, including balance left over from the previous year, were $47,777.96. Expenditures, $35,151.33. The chapter's greatest expenses were for purchasing materials.

The Arrowhead Waters have no equal.—[Advertisement.

For Croup.
"Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is splendid for croup." writes Mrs. Edward Hassett, Frankfort, N. Y. "My children have been quickly relieved of attacks of this dreadful complaint by its use." This remedy contains no opium or other narcotic, and may be given to a child as confidently as to an adult.—[Advertisement.

Clean Out the Garrets

The public can help reduce commodity prices by saving paper.
Waste paper of all kinds is the raw material of large manufactories.
Everyone should make an effort to collect and dispose of every available pound of waste paper.

Sell Your Waste Paper

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MONEY AND WHAT OF IT.

BY CHAPIN HALL.

Money is accumulating. In some quarters it is spoken of much as a woodsman talks of a log run. Quarterly dividends, profit divisions, interest payments and settlements of various kinds due early in the year have helped pile up a surplus which is revealed in bank deposit statements, and would be still further exposed if strong boxes were permitted to tell all they know.

Los Angeles dealers in investment securities are having all they can do to meet the demand, and almost any sound offer is snapped up within a short time after it is placed on the market. This is said to be a good sign, not only of the excellent financial condition of the country, but also as an indication that the new loan, if offered on anything like attractive terms, will be absorbed with much less "agony" than any of its predecessors.

The suggestion made by The Times a few days ago that the marketing of the loan should be devoid of the circus tricks which were used in the others has found ready agreement on every hand. The opinion is general that the United States of America should be able to borrow money as cheap or cheaper than anyone else, and to borrow it in a dignified, business-like manner.

There is a growing local opinion which was expressed yesterday by Mr. Henry Lee Martin that it is not really so much a question of a heavy increase in the interest rate as of taxation. The public is afraid of taxation possibilities, and if it is offered an opportunity for investment without this specter overhanging, many prominent bankers think that the new bonds will be quickly taken, even at as low a rate as 5½ per cent.

Conditions appear to have changed somewhat during the past three weeks. There is more ready money available than then it seemed probable there would be, while the income tax has come into closer perspective and the alarming railroad deficit, which must be met by taxes, and which may continue indefinitely if the administration is given the carte blanche it seeks, is making investors look with increasing favor upon exempt bonds, even at a low rate, for the difference, they figure, would be more than offset by the heavy taxes, surtaxes, excess taxes and plus taxes of, heaven only knows what extent. These views, which are said to coincide with a developing sentiment along similar lines throughout the country, are being permitted to seep in upon the departmental ear at Washington, and it would not be surprising if the Fifth Loan was more liberal in this respect than has heretofore seemed probable. A 4 per cent., five-year, tax-exempt bond should sell readily to the big investors; would not disturb the commercial interest rate, and should be attractive enough to save the government from making a "poor mouth" and establishing bally-hoos for the hawking of the loan in dribbles.

For the same reason, the plenteousness of investment funds, there may soon be a break in interest rates. This will not be radical, but already several high-class, long-term mortgages have been placed at 5½ per cent., and 5 per cent. loans of this character are by no means a chimera of the distant future. One of the handicaps, from an eastern standpoint, under which the Southwest labored in the government bond-selling campaigns, it was pointed out by Director Franklin when he was here a few days ago, was the high interest rate which prevails here as compared with the eastern rates. It may be that this condition will help right itself, for we are getting rather more than our share of receipts just now, although it will take many moons to equalize the distribution of the war months when the munition and material-producing States had everything their own way.

At the annual stockholders' meeting of the Mortgage Guarantee Company the old board of directors and executives were re-elected. The officers and directors for 1919 are: James H. Adams, president; Morgan Adams and Harry Lee Martin, vice-presidents; Donald O'Melveny, secretary-treasurer. Other members of the directorate are William H. Allen, Jr., L. C. Brand, J. C. Drake, J. E. Fishburn, Stoddard Jess, J. A. Graves, Harry Chandler, Henry W. O'Melveny, William R. Staats, William H. Vedder, Harry C. Allen, W. F. Ball, E. P. Clark, P. G. Cruickshank, E. L. Doheny, Robert Hale, William Lacy, Austin O. Martin, Edward Strasburg and H. J. Whitley. Reports showed the affairs of the company to be in excellent condition, and a generally optimistic viewpoint was developed during the discussion. A record-breaking year, with still better things to come, was the composite sentiment of the meeting.

The Treasury Department has evolved something new in financing if reports from Washington are to be believed. The hoisting of oneself by sturdy tugging at one's boot straps has hitherto been looked upon as an unrealizable accomplishment, yet we are told that interest on a part of Russia's indebtedness is being paid from the unexpended credit balance which Russia had with this country, the proceeds of a loan when the Kerensky government blew up. It is also hinted that when the notes mentioned in this particular transaction, $50,000,000 worth, fall due sometime next summer, they may be "taken up" by the same, simple, efficacious system, for we still have about $130,000,000 of the unclaimed loan for the good and sufficient reason that there has been no one to claim it. Perhaps the wise ones have found the solvent for all our financial ills, but I can't help wondering if, could the hands of time be turned back, our old friend, Artemus Ward, would not be moved to repeat his observation, "This is 2 mutch."

There was a somewhat firmer tendency noted on the Los Angeles stock exchange yesterday. This was especially true in the case of Associated, California Packing, Union Sugar and General Petroleum, although trading was still very light and prices were easily affected by small block offerings. General Petroleum closed $1 higher than on Wednesday. Union Sugar during the day sold up to $116.75, which was 25 cents above the best price obtained the day before. Associated was also two-bits to the good. Union Oil sold up to $118.50, but receded slightly towards the close, which was at $118 bid. California Packing, common, sold up to $54. There was little change in the Liberty Bond market, which remains soggy and uncertain, with liberal offerings. The best price obtained for third four and a quarters was $95.25, while the latest issue brought $94.25 at its best. A good share of the fractional gains made during the course of the trading were lost in the closing quotations, which displayed a softening tendency. On the whole the market remains uncertain and unsatisfactory, giving the impression of probable change one way or the other in the near future.

NEW YORK STOCK MARKET.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—Among traders and speculators on the stock exchange today a more hopeful sentiment prevailed, although there was increasing realization that the course of the securities market is largely dependent upon impending industrial and money conditions.

The tense foreign labor situation found an echo in affairs at home, especially as affecting the textile grade, but the trend of money offered hope of further relaxation of rates for time funds.

Details of the new British loan announced by the fiscal agent of that government here have already been discounted by the formation of a powerful banking syndicate to underwrite that offering.

The weekly statement of the Bank of England was interesting in that it recorded the first large contraction of gold holdings by that institution in many months, offset, however, by increased liability reserves.

The stock market scarcely warranted detailed comment, apart from the activity and strength of rails after their recent reaction. Extreme gains in that group ran from 1 to 6 points, St. Paul preferred leading, but selling off at the close. Shipping, especially Marine preferred, also leathers and some of the inactive food specialities, including California Packing, were unusually prominent and strong in the final hour, when rails, oils and steels were inclined to forfeit much of their advance, United States Steel showing a small net loss. Sales amounted to 435,000 shares.

Bonds were irregular, but rails made up part of their recent losses on the strength of stocks. Liberty issues eased slightly, and foreign bonds continued to harden. Total sales, par value, $11,325,000. Old United States bonds were unchanged on call.

The final prices on Liberty Bonds today were: 2½'s, 98.54; first convertible 4's, 93.60; second 4's, 93.30; first convertible 4¼'s, 95.60; second convertible 4¼'s, 94.78; third 4¼'s, 95.60; fourth 4¼'s, 94.60.

LISTED NEW YORK BOND QUOTATIONS.

[Furnished by Stephens & Co., Merchants National Bank Building, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—Following are the quotations on active bonds today:

	Bid.	Asked.
Amer. Smelt. & Ref. 5s	91¼	91½
Amer. Tel. Co. 5s, 1946	97½	97¾
Armour 4½s, 1939	87½	88
Atchison Gen. 4s, 1995	83¼	84
A. T. & S. F. Rel. 4s	77	77½
A. T. & S. F. Conv. 4½s, 1955	77	78
Cal. Gas Unifying 5s, 1937	83½	
C. M. & St. P. 1924 Conv. 4s	74½	75
C. M. & St. P. 2014 Conv. 4½s	73½	79½
C., M. & St. P. Gen. Ref. 4½s		
1925	70	71½
C. R. I. & P. Ref. 4s, 1934	74	74½
Denver & Rio Grande 1st, 1936	80	81
Great Northern 4½s, 1961	88½	89
Illinois Central Joint 5s, 1963	93½	95
Missouri Pacific 5s, 1923	89½	90
Missouri Pacific Gen. 4s, 1938	67½	68½
Missouri Pacific Gen. 4s, 1978	60	60½
Northern Pacific P. L. 4s, 1997	81	82
Pacific Gas Gen. 5s, 1942	87½	87¾
Russian Ext. 5½s, 1926	136	140
Russian Ext. 6½s, 1921	90	92
Russian Gov. 5½s, 1919	80	80½
St. L. & S. F. P. L. 4s, 1950	60	60½
St. L. & S. F. Adj. 5s, 1960	45	46
St. L. & S. F. Gen. 6s, 1931	46½	47
St. L. & S. W. Inter. 5s, 1952	59	60
Southern Pacific Conv. 4s, 1949	100¼	100¾
Southern Pacific 1st 4s, 1955	82¾	83
Union Pacific 1st 4s, 1947	87	87¼
Western Pacific 5s, 1946	94½	95
W. U. Tel. Coll. Tr. 5s, 1938	93½	94¼
Wilson 8s, 1941	97½	
Liberty 3½s	99.50	99.60
Liberty 1st 4s	93.50	93.70
Liberty 2nd 4s	93.30	93.40
U. S. R. E. Ref. 5s, 1959	79½	80
C. G. W. Ry. 1st 4s, 1959	60½	61½
Seaboard Air Line Ref. 4s, 1959	57	58
C. & S. Ref. 5s, May 1, 1953	76¾	77½
Hudson & Manhattan 5s	57	57½
Liberty 1st 4½s	95.90	95.98
Liberty 2nd 4½s	94.74	94.80
Liberty 3rd 4½s	95.60	95.64
Liberty 4th 4¼s	94.66	94.68

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CHICAGO QUOTATIONS FOR STOCKS, BONDS.

[EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 23.—The Swift group led the local security market today to point of activity. Swift regular lost ⅛ point and International gained ⅝, while Libby, in which there was the most interesting movement, showed no change on the close. Pneumatic Tool and Ward preferred gained a point each, Sears ⅞, and Booth ¼ point. United Fruit-board sold off ⅛ point.

Sales.	Stocks—	High.	Low.	Close. Bid.
200	Armour pfd	101	101¼	101¼
200	Booth	19½	19½	19½
45	Chicago Pneu	61	61	61
240	Cudahy	104	103¾	104
15	Con. Biscuit	114	114	114
250	Cudahy Rights	¼	¼	¼
50	Diamond Match	110	110	110
1,295	Libby	21¾	21¾	22
50	Lindsay	13½	13½	13½
15	Midwest pfd	58½	58½	58½
100	National Carbon pfd	112	112	114
25	Peoples Gas	45¾	45¾	47
20	Q. Oats pfd	102¾	102¾	102¾
450	Sears-Roebuck	175	174	174
250	Stewart-W	68	68	68
100	Louisville & Nashville	113½	113½	113½
100	Le Tres	21¼	21¼	21¼
200	Lehigh Valley	55	55	55
	Lorillard Pob. Co.			46
100	Lone Wilks Ins. Co.	46	46	
	Mackay			87
	Maxwell Motors			49
	Do. 1st pfd.			80½
100	Do. 2nd pfd.	20	20	19½
32,900	Mex. Petroleum Co.	167¼	164¾	166
1,900	Mineral Corner Gas	24¼	23¾	23¾
1,000	Middle West	41¾	41¾	41¾
	Mitchell			12½
100	M., K. & T.	4¾	4¾	4¾
	Montana Power			68
3,400	Missouri Pacific	24½	23¾	24
500	Missouri Pacific pfd.	50¾	49¾	50
600	National Lead	90¾	90¾	90¾
	National Lead pfd.			108
200	National Enamel	48¾	48¾	48
200	Nevada Con.	16¾	16¾	16¾
	N. Y. Air Brake			102
	N. Y. Central			75¾
2,500	N. Y., N. H. & H.	30¾	29¾	29¾
	N. Y. Ont. & W.	19	19	19
100	Norfolk & Western	104½	104½	104½
	N. A. W. pfd.			72
	North American			48
2,400	Pacific Mail	61	60½	61
500	Ohio City Gas	42	41¾	41¾
	Ontario Silver			9
	Pacific Mail			39
100	Pacific Tel. & Tel.	25½	25½	25½
2,700	Pan-American Com.	67¾	67¼	67¼
1,500	Penn. R. R. Co.	45	44¾	44¾
	People's Gas			93
200	Pittsburgh Coal			61
	Pittsburgh Coal pfd.			93
400	Pressed Steel Car	63½	62¾	63
400	Ray Consolidated	20¾	20¾	20¾
900	Ry. Steel Springs Co.	72	71¼	71¾
7,100	Reading	79	77¾	77¾
	Reading 1st pfd.			84
	Reading 2nd pfd.			77
600	Republic I. & S.	72¾	72¾	72¾
	Republic I. & S. pfd.			101½
2,500	Rock Island	23¾	23¾	23¾
500	Rock Island pfd.	74¾	73¾	74¼
200	Island Oils	14¾	14¾	14¾
2,500	Royal Dutch	76¾	73¾	74¾
	Ramsey com.			7
	Rumely pfd.			74
100	Railroad Air Line	7¾	7¾	7¾
	Railroad Air Line pfd.			42
200	Sears-Roebuck Co.	175¾	174¾	174
	Sears-Roebuck pfd.			109
1,600	Sinclair Oil	34	33½	33½
	Shattuck Copper			72
	Sloss S. & I. Co.	12	12	12
400	St. L. & S. F. com.			12½
	Do. 1st pfd.			22
200	Saxon Motors	7¼	7¼	7¼
11,500	Southern Pacific	95¾	94¾	95¾
7,400	Southern Railway	27¾	26¾	26¾
1,600	Southern Ry. pfd.	63¾	63¾	63¾
6,800	Studebaker com.	47¾	46¾	47¾
	Studebaker pfd			92
	Tennessee Copper			17½
2,900	Texas Oil	190	186½	187
29,000	Texas Pacific	23¾	21¾	22¾
1,100	Tobacco Products	75¼	75¼	74¼
	Tobacco Products pfd.			101
	Toledo, St. L. & W.			3
	Union Bag & P.			97
100	Twin City R. T.	41½	41½	41½
4,100	Union Pacific	127¾	125¾	126¾
	Union Pacific pfd.			84½
1,800	Utah Copper	70¾	69¾	69¾
2,100	United Cigar Stores com.	118¾	116¾	117¾
100	United Fruit	135	133	134¾
	U. S. Cast Iron Pipe			15¾
200	U. S. Realty & Cons.	28	28	28
4,000	U. S. Rubber	75¾	74	74½
77,100	U. S. Steel Cor.	109¾	108¾	108¾
400	U. S. Steel Cor. pfd.	114¾	114¾	114¾
	U. S. Smelting			43¾
	U. S. Smelting pfd.			44
300	Va.-Car. Chem. Co.	61¾	61¾	61¾
	Va.-Car. Chem. pfd.			111½
600	Wabash	9¾	9¾	9
800	Wabash pfd.	32¾	31¾	31¾
	Wabash "B"			19½
100	Wells-Farro Express			99
	Western Union			97½
700	Westinghouse	41	40¾	41
600	Western Md. com.	11¾	11	11
200	Willys-Overland	23¾	23¾	23¾
8,800	Willys Overland pfd.	23¾	23¾	24
	Willys Overland pfd.			87½
100	Wilson pfd.	68	68	67
100	Wisconsin Central			53¾
100	Woolworth com.	136	136	134½
100	Worthington pfd.	115	115	115
	Both, Steel com.			58½
	Both, Steel pfd 7s			99½
600	Pierce Oil	17¼	17	17
4,500	Oklahoma Wtr. Prod.	8¾	8¾	8¾
1,000	Gaston, Williams	21¾	21¼	21¼
2,900	Liberty 3½s	98.54	98.50	98.50
	1st 4s	95.00	94.90	95.00
28,500	Do. 2nd 4s	93.50	93.20	93.32
2,700	Do. 1st 4¼s	95.30	95.10	95.20
118,000	Do. 2nd 4¼s	94.70	94.50	94.60
211,500	Do. 3d 4¼s	95.74	95.50	95.54
382,100	Do. 4th 4¼s	94.80	94.52	94.52

*Ex-dividend.

Total sales of stocks—493,300 shares.
Total sales of bonds—$11,764,000.

BETHLEHEM STEEL DECLARES DIVIDEND.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—The Bethlehem Steel Corporation today declared an extra dividend of 1¼ per cent. on both classes of stocks, A and B, in addition to the regular quarterly dividend of 1¾ per cent. The corporation also declared for the full year, but payable quarterly, the full dividends on its 7 per cent. and 8 per cent. preferred stocks.

CALIFORNIA DRIED FRUIT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—Evaporated apples strong; State, 15¾@17. Prunes firm. Apricots quiet. Peaches nominal. Raisins firm.

LOCAL PRODUCE RECEIPTS.

Eggs, 230 cases; butter, 6100 pounds; cheese, 4900 pounds; potatoes, 3931 sacks; onions, 700 sacks.

MONEY MARKET.

NEW YORK, Jan. 23.—Mercantile paper unchanged. Sterling, sixty-day bills, unchanged; demand, 4.75¾; cables, 4.76 7-16. Mexican dollars unchanged. Time loans steady, unchanged. Call money firm; high, 5; low, 4¾; ruling rate, 5; closing bid, 4¾; offered at 4¾; last loan, 4¾.

San Francisco Oil Stock Prices.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 23.—Oil stocks: Claremont, 2.00 asked; Coalinga, Midway, 15 bid; Illinois Crude, 18 bid; McKittrick, 18 bid; Palmer Union, 8@8½; Palmer Union preferred, 16 @16½; Pyramid, 4 bid; Section 23, 14.00 bid; sterling, 1.65 asked; West Coast preferred, 62.00 bid.

CANCEL COAL ORDERS.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—All orders for the requisition of coal or coke have been canceled by the Fuel Administration. Delivery on the orders will cease January 31.

FINANCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES,
Los Angeles, Jan. 24, 1919.

Bank clearings yesterday were $5,209,279.04, an increase of $849,578.16, as compared with corresponding day last year.

1919.	1918.	1917.
Monday	$6,052,561.20	$4,567,188.36	$4,821,157.88
Tuesday	5,659,405.24	4,648,806.71	5,555,483.93
Wed'day	6,087,197.77	5,262,840.07	5,748,760.61
Thursday	5,209,279.04	4,360,700.88	4,694,052.00

LOCAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

[Following were the closing prices and sales, as posted yesterday at the Stock Exchange, ground floor, I. W. Hellman Building.]

BANK LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
Citizens' National Bank	$240.00	$255.00
Commercial National		200.00
Farmers' & Merchants' Nat.		520.00
First National	632.00	655.00
Guaranty Tr. & Sav.	220.00	230.00
Hibernian Savings Bank	150.00	
Merchants' National		210.00
Security Tr. & Sav. Bank	340.00	355.00
Union Bank & Trust Co.	122.50	135.00
U. S. National Bank	155.00	200.00

BOND LIST.
(With Accrued Interest.)

	Bid.	Asked.
American Petroleum Co.	99	
Associated Oil Co.	94½	95½
California Delta Farms		101
Cucamonga Water Co.	97	
Edison Elec. Co., 1st R.	95	
Edison Elec. Co., gold issue	92½	
Home Telephone Co.	90½	92½
Home Tel. Co., 1st Refg.		91
Hunters Pipe Line	65	101
L. A. Electric Co.	92½	
L. A. Gas & Elec. Co.	87½	
L. A. Pac., 1st Con. Mtge.	84	
L. A. & Pasadena Elec. Ry.	86½	90
L. A. Railway Co.	85½	86½
L. A. R. R. Corp. 5s	74	
Natomas Co. of California	79	
Pacific Electric Ry. Co.	75½	81
Pacific Light & Power Co.	92½	
Pacific L. & P. Ltd.	90	
Pasadena Home Tel. Co.	83	85
Prod. Transportation Co.	97½	100
S. Monica Bay R. T. Co.	40	
Union Oil Co.	103½	104
Union Transportation Co.	93¼	
U. S. L. D. T. & T. Co.	80	84½
Visalia Water Co.	86	

LIBERTY BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.
1st Liberty Loan 3½s, 1917	99	
1st Liberty Loan Conv. 4s, 1917	93	
2nd Liberty Loan 4s, 1917	93	
1st Liberty Loan Conv. 4¼s, 1918	95	
2nd Liberty Loan Conv. 4¼s, 1918	94	
3rd Liberty Loan 4¼s, 1918	95	
4th Liberty Loan 4¼s	94	

INDUSTRIAL LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
California Delta Farms	$ 49.25	$ 50.00
California Hospital Co.		50.00
Cal. Packing Corp. com.	52.00	53.00
Consolidated Realty Co.	54.00	55.00
Edlefsen Glass Co. com.	50	55
Eldorado Stage Co. com.	20½	
Emergency Hospital	8.00	21.00
L. A. Investment Co.	42	
Occidental Life Ins. Co.		125.00
Pacific Mutual Life Ins. Co.	400.00	600.00
S. Joaquin L. & P. Corp. pfd.	67.50	75.00
S. Joaquin L. & P. Corp. com.	5.00	8.00
So. Cal. Edison pfd.	90.00	107.50
So. Cal. Edison com.	86.00	90.00
Sun Drug Co.		2.50
Title Ins. & Tr. Co. pfd.	200.00	250.00
Title I. & Tr. Co.	150.00	200.00
Union Sugar Co.	96.50	

OIL LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated Oil	$ 57.00	$ 60.00
American Crude Oil	12½	
Associated Oil	73.75	74.50
Brookshire Oil	.09	
Central	.02	
Columbia	1.00	
Continental Oil	.10	.20
Eos Oil Syndicate	.03	.05
Fullerton Oil	3.00	
General Petroleum com.	142.50	144.00
General Petroleum Rights	4.87½	4.90
Globe	.02	.03
Jade Oil Co.	.10	.11
Maxon Oil Co.	1.85	
Midway Northern	.21	
Mt. Diablo O. M. & D. Co.		1.40
National Pacific Oil Co.	.03½	
New Pennsyl. Pet. Co.	.22½	
Occidental Oil Co. (Hill)	.28	.29
Premier Oil Co.	.02	
Rice Ranch Oil Co.	1.00	
Shamrock Oil Co.	68.00	
Union	118.00	118.50
United Oil Co.	.22	.25
West Coast Oil pfd.	.67	
Western Union	125.00	140.00
White Star Oil Co.	.03	.10

MINING LIST.

	Bid.	Asked.
Cutman District—		
Adams Mining Co.	$ .02½	$ .03½
Arizona Tom Reed	.01	
Argo Mines	.05	.06
Big Jim Con. Mining	.06½	.08½
Boundary Cone	.01	.01½
Gold Bar	.06½	
Gold Ore Mining Co.	.03½	.05½
Gold Road Bonanza	.02	.03
Lucky Boy	.03½	.04
Nellie Mining	.10	.12
Sunnyside Mining	.06¼	
Tom Reed	1.64	1.65
United Eastern	4.12½	4.17
Other Districts—		
R. Hawk Tungsten M. Corp.	.60	
Rose Gold Mining	.03½	
Hecla Mining Co.	4.00	4.02½
Jerome Portland	.08	.09
Tonopah Ex. of Cal. pfd.	.15	.16
Oro Amigo	.04½	.05
Richmond Mining & Milling	.30	
Yellow Pine	1.10½	1.12½

SALES.

Morning session: 100 Black Hawk Tungsten at 60; 60 Cal. Packing com. at 54.00; 20 Gen. Pet. Rights at 4.87½; 1000 Gold Ore Mining at 03½; $12 $1000 2nd Liberty Loan 4¼s, 1918, at 95; $1100 4th Liberty Loan 4¼s at 94; 7 $50 do. at 95; $12 $1000 do. at 95; $500 do. at 95½; $500 do. at 94¾; 115 $100 do. at 95; 4 $500 do. at 95; 20 $100 4th Liberty Loan Conv. 4¼s, 1918, at 95; $100 2nd Liberty Loan 4¼s, 1918, at 95; $50 do. at 94¾; 2 $500 do. at 94; 2 $500 do. at 94¾; 115 $100 do. at 95; $ $500 do. at 95½; $ $50 do. at 95; 4 $500 do. at 95; 4 $500 do. at 94¾; 5 $50 do. at 94; 500 Tom Reed at 1.64; 120 Union at 118.50; 5 do. at 118.87½; 300 United Eastern at 4.15.

Informal: 20 General Petroleum at 143.50; 60 Union Oil at 118.50; 100 United Eastern at 4.15.

Afternoon session: 50 Associated Oil at 73.75; 1000 Argo Mines at .06; 10 Amalgamated Oil at 57.50; 1000 Big Jim Con. Mining at .06½; 100 Black Hawk Tungsten at .60; 100 do. at .80; 100 do. at .10, at .70; 20 Gen. Pet. Rights at 4.80; 10 General Petroleum at 142.50; 10 do. at 143.50; 1 $500 do. at 143.62½; 1000 Gold Dust at .08½; 5 $50 1st Liberty Loan 3½s, 1917, at 98; $100 1st Liberty Loan 3½s, 1917, at 98; $100 4th Liberty Loan 4¼s, 1918, at 94; 5 $1000 do. at 95; 23 $100 2nd Liberty Loan 4¼s, 1918, at 95; 5 $50 do. at 95; 2 $100 1st Liberty Loan Conv. 4¼s, 1918, at 95; 3 $100 1st Liberty Loan Conv. 4¼s, 1918, at 94; 4 $500 2nd Liberty Loan 4¼s, 1918, at 94; 2 $100 do. at 95; 58 $100 do. at 95; 61 $100 4th Liberty Loan 4¼s at 94; 7 $50 do. at 94; 9 $500 do. at 94½; 5000 Sunnyside Mining at .06¾; 1000 do. at .06¾; 100 Tom Reed at 1.64½; 100 do. at 1.65; 80 Union Sugar at 96.75.

Informal: 100 Black Hawk Tungsten at .55; 100 do. at .80; 2000 Gold Ore Mining at .06¾; 20000 do. at .06; at .05½; 500 Nellie Mining at .10; 5000 Sun Drug at .55.

NEVADA MINE STOCKS: SAN FRANCISCO LIST.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 23.—Following are sales and closing quotations:

Sales.	Goldfield District—	Bid.	Asked.
4,000	Atlanta	.04	.05
	Blue Bell	.02	.03
2,000	Blue Bull Ref.	.02	.03
	Booth Ry.	.13	.15
	C. O. D.	.02	.03
	Combination Fraction	.02	.03
	Crackerjack	.04	.05
10,000	Diamondfield B. B. Ry.	.02	.03
	Diamondfield Daisy	.03	.04
	Florence	.13	
1,000	Goldfield Con. Mines	.20	.21
12,000	Goldfield Merger	.03	.04
38,500	Grandma	.03	.04
	Great Bend R. I.	.03	.04
8,500	Jumbo Extension	.13	.15
	Jumbo Junior	.02	.03
8,500	Kewbaum	.03	.04
	N. G. Rim	.02	.03
54,000	Rush Hills	.05	.06
	Ruth, Steel con.	.58	.59
1,000	S. P. Con.	.04	.05
15,000	Sportsfield Gold	.13	.15
	Yellow Tiger	.01	.02
	Tonopah District—		
	Belmont	2.60	
50,000	C. R. Con.	.06	.07
13,000	Grisly Queen	.04	.05
	Jim Butler	.16	.18
	Jim Butler	.16	.19
500	Montana	.27	.29
97,000	Mid. Con.	.38	.39
	Olympia Extension	.05	.06
	Montana Pittsburgh	.04	.05
	Montana	.14	.15
5,000	North Star	.07	.08
12,400	Rescue Eula	.07	
	Tonopah Extension	2.30	2.39
	Tonopah Tid Con.	.09	.10
	Unsallds	.01	.02
300	West End	1.27½	1.30
	Ortman District—		
	Apex	.05	
	Gold Roads Bonanza	.02	.03
	Lucky Boy	.04	.05
	Nellie	.10	.12
	Ortman-North Star	.01	.02
2,000	United Western	.03	.04
	United Eastern	4.20	
3,000	N. C. Point	.02	.03
	Nevada Hills	.02	
	Nevada Pack	.02	.03
	Rochester	.25	.28
	Rochester Merger		.05
	Round Mountain	.21	
	Manhattan Con.	.04	.05
	Manhattan Red Top		.03
4,000	Manhattan White Caps	.13	.14
	Man. Union Amalg.	.01	.02
	Manhattan Big Four	.03	
	Man. Morning Glory	.01	.02

PUT BAN ON RICE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 23.—The War Trade Board today gave notice that rice had again been added to the list of restricted imports.

FINANCIAL.

We own and offer, subject to prior sale:—

MUNICIPAL AND DISTRICT BONDS

		Price	Yield
$ 7,000	STATE OF CALIFORNIA 4s, 1932		4.75 %
20,000	LOS ANGELES WATER 4½s, 1930		4.65 %
5,000	LOS ANGELES WATER 4½s, 1940		4.65 %
5,000	CITY AND COUNTY OF SAN FRANCISCO WATER 4½s, 1927		4.60 %
4,000	MORNINGSIDE SCHO

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	Feb.	Mch.	Low.	Close.	Previous close.
Jan.	20.99	20.99	20.70	21.10	21.04
Jan.	21.50	21.50	21.50	21.50	21.50
Jan.	20.60	20.60	20.60	20.60	22.35
Jan.	20.40	20.40	20.40	20.40	22.30
Jan.	19.05	19.05	19.05	19.05	21.05
Jan.	18.90	18.90	18.25	18.45	19.45
Jan.	17.90	17.90	17.90	17.90	19.10

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HEARST WREAKS SPITE ON CLUB.

"Examiner's" Attempt to Stir up Strife Denounced.

Women's Society Officials Say Warfare Tale False.

Act of Revenge Following Ban on Publication.

"There is no open warfare, or any other warfare brewing in the Woman's City Club. There is no dissension among its members. There is no abandonment of the policies of the club, nor will there be. And what is more, I don't know of a single true statement in the Examiner's attack on our organization yesterday."

So stated Mrs. Fred Hickok, an official of the Woman's City Club, against which an attack was directed by the Hearst organ, yesterday.

According to Mrs. Hickok and Mrs. Herman Darling, the first vice-president, the presidency of Mrs. Clarence Van Graham was not "slated." Nor was she "railroaded" into office, they state. Nor is Mrs. E. R. Brainerd to be a candidate at the coming election, they say, as she is occupied with her work in San Francisco, and is said to have stated that she cannot accept nomination.

According to Mrs. Van Graham, the trouble began when an Examiner representative was refused permission to circulate a petition concerning woman suffrage early last fall, and became so obnoxious that the executive board of the club passed a resolution against publication of any of the club's news in the Hearst papers.

"Soon afterward someone from the Examiner called Mrs. Hickok and me by telephone and threatened us. We weren't frightened, and told them to go ahead and do their worst," said Mrs. Van Graham.

"This year has been the most harmonious I can remember, although we have had to overcome numerous difficulties. The whole executive board has been in perfect harmony, and the present attack is the maneuver of a disgruntled candidate, we believe," Mrs. Hickok said, "the whole affair is a mess cooked up by troublemakers, aided by a disgruntled sheet that would like to injure the club out of spite."

ANGELENO IS PROMOTED.

Lloyd E. Cole, who is with the Three Hundred and Sixty-second Infantry, Ninety-first Division, has been promoted to be first lieutenant of Co. L, according to word received from overseas yesterday by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer E. Cole, No. 630 South Rampart boulevard. Lieut. Cole went unscathed through heavy fighting in the Argonne Forest and in Belgium. Lieut. Harold L. Cole, a younger son of Mr. and Mrs. Cole, who has been a flying instructor at Taylor Field, Montgomery, Ala., has been honorably discharged and has returned to his home here.

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Tiny Colored Baby is Exhibit A and Clinching Proof of Parenthood.

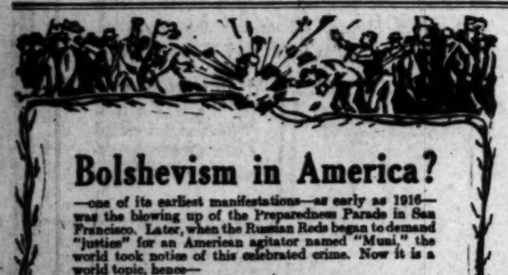
A kinky-haired, brown-eyed colored baby was the principal evidence yesterday against Arthur Ferrand, colored, convicted in Judge Craig's court of failure to provide for a minor child.

Mrs. Juanita Bowers, colored, of No. 973 McGarry street, the mother, asserted he is the father of the child, which he denied.

"I offer the baby as Exhibit A and desire that she be filed with the clerk of the court," said Deputy District-Attorney Powell.

"It's all right to offer the baby as evidence," said the court, "but I think we had better not file her."

The jurors compared the baby and the defendant and found him guilty in fifteen minutes. Ferrand will be sentenced Monday.



Bolshevism in America?

—one of its earliest manifestations—as early as 1916—was the blowing up of the Preparedness Parade in San Francisco. Later, when the Russian Reds began to demand "justice" for an American agitator named "Muni," the world took notice of this celebrated crime. Now it is a world topic, hence—

"The Mooney Case"

By WALTER V. WOEHLKE

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Sunset

THE PACIFIC MONTHLY

for FEBRUARY

—this drama of dynamite and intrigue is recounted from the beginning to the present time in a calm, dispassionate manner. The widely divergent views on the merits of the Mooney case make it evident that even well-informed people possess an incomplete knowledge of the facts. Mr. Woehlke, a San Franciscan, and best known for his thorough grasp of industrial and labor problems, particularly in the West, is endeavoring to present all the facts and give the reader a complete analysis of this internationally famous case.

—the *February* number of SUNSET contains the second article on the Mooney case, but subscriptions, if desired, may begin with the January number, containing the first article, so long as the supply of copies of this number lasts.

—in the February number also is the second article of the series: "Problems of the Peace Table," by Dr. David Starr Jordan, chancellor of Stanford University. A subscription beginning with the January number also gives the reader the opportunity of beginning the study of the peace-table problems with Dr. Jordan's first article.

OTHER FEBRUARY FEATURES—Articles and stories by Mary Austin, Fannie Hesslip Lea, Eleanor Anstruther, William Dudley Pelley, William R. Lighton ("Billy Fortune,") Helen Lukens Gaut, and others.

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PALMER ISSUES TART ANSWER.

Justice Says He Doesn't Fear Grand Jury Inquiry.

District Attorney Looking Into Perjury Charge.

Chinese Girl Declared Sold Into Marriage State.

Stating that he had purposely permitted Mrs. Ng Hop Lung, defendant in an embezzlement case, to leave for San Francisco, because she was about to become a mother, Justice Palmer yesterday replied to the announcement of Attorney Paul Schenck that the latter intends to ask for a grand jury investigation of the justice's conduct in the case.

The justice also asserted that the custody of a defendant rests solely with the court in which the case is being heard; that the woman would have been sent for had her presence been needed, and that there was an evident lack of desire on the part of the prosecuting witnesses to appear in court, it being necessary to hunt for them several days. He said he gave Mrs. Donaldina Cameron, superintendent of a Baptist Chinese mission in San Francisco, permission to take the woman where she thought best, subject to call by the court.

Asst. Dist.-Atty. Cryer said yesterday that the District Attorney's office is investigating the case, and more particularly the charges of Justice Palmer that perjury was committed. Mr. Cryer said that he sees no occasion as yet to call the grand jury's attention to Justice Palmer's conduct with regard to the case, but that Mr. Schenck has not yet officially presented his side of the case.

In his statement, Justice Palmer said:

"The talk of a grand jury investigation of my conduct is, to say the least, amusing. Esther Hop Lung has been sold into marriage at the age of 13. Through the process of the Los Angeles juvenile court she was taken from the custody of her aged husband. The employer of this husband swears to a complaint charging the girl with embezzlement of $300 and spends several times $300 to bring the girl, through process of law from San Francisco, where she was being protected by the Chinese Rescue Mission.

"Representatives of the prosecuting parties appeared in court on the morning of arraignment and claimed to be appearing for the mother and girl they were seeking to prosecute. Fortunately, Mrs. Cameron of the mission had come to Los Angeles with the women and had retained an attorney to represent them, and at the start of the proceeding their design to once again get the girl into their possession was frustrated.

"At the beginning of the trial, upon ascertaining that the girl defendant was but 13 years of age, it was my duty, if I believed the case warranted prosecution, to certify the girl and the proceedings as to her to the Juvenile Court. Instead of this, I asked that the case be dismissed as to her, and the District Attorney made the motion for such dismissal, knowing that if the prosecution of the case against the mother revealed any merit a new complaint could be filed against the daughter.

"We then proceeded with the hearing as to the Chinese mother, the first afternoon of which showed that the case was manufactured absolutely out of falsehoods. The mother had not slept since leaving San Francisco through worry over her children, and was approaching the time of another birth, upon the communication of which information to me, by Mrs. Cameron, I released the woman in her custody with the instructions to take whatever course human justice demanded, in her opinion.

"At the conclusion of the case I stated what I now repeat, to wit: that 'distressing as it might be to realize that Chinese would so disregard an oath and the law as to attempt such a baseless use of the courts, it was much more distressing to realize that American attorneys, sworn to uphold the honor and the justice of our courts, would aid and abet such an offense.'

"I mentioned the names of no attorneys. I laid out the coat. If it fits any persons and they choose to wear it, let them not take offense at me."

HE TOOK HER MONEY, THEN SAID GOOD-BY?

TOO MUCH OF THAT GOING ON, SAYS JUDGE IN COMMENT IN DIVORCE SUIT.

After saying that he would grant her a decree, provided she amended her complaint to demand the return of $10,000 that she turned over to her third husband, Frederick C. Williams, because of her fear of him, Judge Jackson yesterday continued the divorce case of Mrs Virginia D. Williams until Wednesday.

Mrs. Williams, handsomely attired, was recovering from a nervous attack that was induced, she declared, by Mr. Williams's demand for the $10,000. She appeared in court with her sister, Mrs. Anna Jones, and Mrs. Eudora C. Wynne, who corroborated her statements that Mr. Williams had left her after he had obtained the $10,000.

Mrs. Williams told the court that after her marriage to Mr. Williams in Santa Ana, January 16, 1916, they lived in a house in the Malibu mountains, the nearest neighbor being three miles away. He insisted, she said, that she make a will, leaving him all of the property she had received from her second husband and from her parents, but she refused.

She sold some property, she continued, at a great sacrifice, and he demanded the money, so she went to Los Angeles, she testified, and drew a check, giving him the $10,000.

"He got his suit case and took my automobile," she told the court, "and said 'Good-by.' He returned the automobile. I have seen him twice since, once at the bank and once when he went to the beach in an automobile. He was accompanied by a woman, and he told me he was her chauffeur.

"I never got any of the $10,000 back," she said, to the question of the court. To a question of her attorney, Mrs. P. L. Randolph, Mrs. Williams stated that she understood her husband had bought an interest in the Palace Garage. He is an expert machinist, 50 years old, she said. She is 55 years old. She was divorced from her first husband and her second husband died.

"Why did not you bring suit to recover this money?" asked the court.

"I was afraid of him," was the reply. "All I want is my freedom from him."

"There is too much of this business of marrying women of means and obtaining their property," remarked Judge Jackson. "I don't like to think that a divorce should be granted without an effort to locate that money. If you get a decree will you marry again?"

"I hope never again—a woman of my age," was the reply.

Finds that Third Time Isn't a Charm.

Mrs. Virginia D. Williams and Friends.

Mrs. Williams is the second one from the left. The others are, left to right: Mrs. P. L. Randolph, her attorney; Mrs. Anna Jones, a sister, and Mrs. Eudora C. Wynne, who was a witness for Mrs. Williams in the divorce court yesterday.

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HOW THEY VOTED.

...Democrats and fifteen Re... ...voted against the bill. The ...were Gore, Hardwick and ...and the Republicans Borah, ...Fernald, France, Harding, ...of California, Kenyon, La... ...McNary, Moses, Penrose, ...Sherman, Townsend and ...

...Cummins of Iowa, Repub... ...Thomas of Colorado, Dem... ...who were present, but paired, ...that they opposed the ...It also was announced that ...Vardaman of Mississippi, ...present, would have voted in ...favor.

...supporting the bill were: ...Ashurst, Bankhead, ...Chamberlain, Fletcher, ...Henderson, Hitchcock, ...Johnson of South Dakota, ...Martin of Kentucky, Martin ...Nugent, Overman, Phe... ...Pollock, Pomerene, ...Sanisbury, Shafroth, ...Simmons, Smith of Ari... ...Smith of Georgia, Swanson, ...Trammel, Underwood, ...Williams and Wolcott—34.

...Colt, Curtis, Fre... ...Hale, Jones of Wash... ...Knox, Lenroot, ...New, Page, Smith of ...Smoot, Spencer, Sterling, ...Warren and Weeks ...

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FINAL STAND.

...of the bill made a final ...today, with Senators Borah of ...and Sherman of Illinois, Re... ...leading the fight.

...before the roll call Senator ...asserted that not more than ...of the Senators actually ...the bill, and that while feel... ...retained them to support it, ...apologize for their votes ...he said, were yield... ...judgment to the Paris con... ...which he criticised for si... ...declaring that its ...communiques mean absolutely ...

...is not the slightest infor... ...that is considered, or dis... ...questions expressed, condi... ...revealed, or the situation ...Senator Borah. "There is ...particle of information or evi... ...that the world may be ...

...attitude of the peace conferees ...Borah said was in open viola... ...President Wilson's pledge.